AYS AT CAMP TANNER

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by of Springfield, ment and Dr J. L.

E DEAL.

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arr of Marca at Springfield ted States volographs of the g particular at. business in the city. rds. The views 5th regiment ith Company H a recumbent he company at nd Barr will rent views on tore next Mon be Decatur vol-

nos men who and put in the e flend. He ed to the nee 20 or 19 years. begged that thought best

Springfield, May 14. that privilege Also there is a bathing p Tanner might be pool which is well natropized from Tanner might be pool which is well patronized free of

> Lev H. Rude is the army tailor and all day yesterdiy and day before he was mending uniforms for his comrades.

S. S Ciapper, an attorney of Decator, is in Company fl and he will donate legal at. Col. F. P. Wells advice in regard to foraging.

Charley Bell, on Major Colladay's staff, White eating bard as a unique and patriotic figure Charley beef a quantity of says he can fight on land but he would f Mrs Geo. P. Zeiss be afraid to fight on water. Charley has been opposed to water for a long time. Mrs Colladay has spent the week with

> T B Shoaff of Danville is here to see ns son James, off. He is in the Danville

ber busband.

Mrs W. F. Dimmick was down from Decatur to fix her son Raiph with money and a supply of good things to cat. Although Raiph is only 18 years of age he is determined to fight the Spanar ds.

Mr and Mrs. W. R. Scruggs, Miss ave found way to Chadeey, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Armstrong and others were in camp. Reeves wis, at one time a Scruggs is a well built soldier and on the Illinois confer- Wednesday when Governor Tanner and pgregationalist, is 80,000 other people reviewed the troops Reeves rode a dashing steed in the pa rade. A Decatur girl sent a kiss to Reeves dressed the Y. M. and Mrs. Armstrong delivered it in an illustrative and practical manner.

> Arthur Gallagher and Howard Hanthorne are much sought after by the fair

that flows through tobacco driuks liquor, and he knows his

The5th and 3d regiments left this after ire glad they have noon for Chickamauga.

The man was frantic while he was wait-

ing for the doctor and he stood and shook

the inside bars of the fall in his anxiety. WAR BULLETINS.

May Attack Charleston.

LONDON. May 14 -According to the reported plans of the Spanish admiral he may, when he hears that two squadrons vements in the are operating against him, try to avoid them and bombard Charleston.

Dewey at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, May 14.—The city this afternoon celebrated Admiral Dewey's victory with a parade and speech making lis a stock farm at Porest park. The city is in holiday attire and 50,000 strangers are in town from all the surrounding country.

Dying of Starvation.

KEY WEST. FLA., May 14 .- News from Havana is that the reconcentrador at the First M. are dying of starvation. Cartlends of the on "Sunday Ob. dead are taken daily through the Spanish

The Geier.

BERLIN, May 14 .- The German oruiser Geler arrived at Santiago de Cuba t any work done yesterday. She proceeds to Havana today.

-Mrs. Randolph and Mrs. Binkley, of se of obtaining | Warrensburg, returned home last evenbearing on the ing after a visit with Decator friends.

-Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Bumstead will workers and will spend Sunday with friends at Dan-

-Mrs. Amos Conklin and Mrs. H. io, where there Downing returned yesterday from Sa-

-B. F. Ross, of Forsyth, visited in Decatur today. -W. D. Kelly has resumed his posi-

tion with S. M. Lutz. -J. D. Lyman, of Emers, transacted



The Daily Republican.

CHARLES THE TREET, MOVER THAT BOTH IS

EXTRA--4:30 O'clock Edition.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS, MONDAY, MAY 16, 1898.

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SEA BATTLE CLOSE AT HAND

American Warships Watching for the Spanish Fleet in Caribbean Waters.

Decisive Naval Engagement Expected Any Day=-The Situation of the Fleets--Arrival of Illinois Volunteers at Chickamauga==Spanish Spy Caught by Capt. Cassell=-Major Colladay Orders Arrest of Capt. Parrish.

MESSAGE FROM MANILA

Sunday Cable from Admiral Dewey Received at Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 16,-The follow-| they have made no demonstration, seems green out Sunday afternoon;

15 -I am maintaining strict blockade. shed and rapine. Have reason to bolieve that the rebels are Japanes vessels are here observing DEWEY.

A telegram was also received in which Admira, Dewey thanked the president for harramotion and compliments his

but the fact that he says explicitly that | the blookade maintained by him.

by entiregram from Admirat Dawey was to disprove thoroughly the published reports that they have already entered CAVITE, May 13, via Hongkong, May | Manila and had begun a career of blood

The best evidence of the effectiveness of bemming in the city by land, but they the blockade maintained by the American has made no demonstration. It is prob admiral and also of the work of the inabe but the Spanish governor will be surgents in surrounding the city is shown You nat any moment. The climate is provisions are sparce in the city of Manile h and moist. Have penty of coal. One which seems to indicate to Admira Push one French, two German and one Dewey an early surrender by the Spanish

Another published report seems also to be refuted by the admiral's advices, and where the Spanish naval station was that : - off and the commanders of all located, and where, presumably, large quantities of arms and ammunition were the coolegrams indicate that Dewey kept. If the rebels have been supplying as est none of the prestige gained in his themselves with arms it must have been menoral le light two weeks ago, and that with the admiral's consent as his dispatch while he refrains from taking the city of is originally dated from Cavite, indicating Man .; he has it practically at his mercy. that he is still in possession. The greatest The admiral expresses the belief that the satisfaction prevails here over the good table are bearing the city in by land work being done and the effectiveness of

THE TWO BIG FLEETS.

Both Not Far from Windward Passage--Spanish Hide and Seek Game

consers and two out of the three torpedo the port Saturday, have anchored in the harbor. The ships are in fighting trim, and apparently expect an early encounter

The Infanta Maria Terem and the Vizaya are taking coal and provisions. The Critebal Colon and the Almirante Oquat to leave or to what point they will

The Spanish equadron is now 1250 miles away from Havana by the shortest route that through the Windward Passage, and 1000 from Clenfuegos, on the PUBLIC, May 16.—All the wounded of south side of Cubs. Traveling at the United States fiest are doing well. make the 1 go to Havana, and a little over the forte at San Juan de Porto Rico. four days to make Cienfuegos.

feet is now 5500 miles from Martinique, been out at Bt. Lonele.

CURACOA, DUTOR WEST INDIES, | for which point the battlahip Oregon is May 18 -The Spanish fleet of four armed | thought to be heading, together with the Buffalo and Marietta. Traveling at the but destroyers, which were reported off rate of ten knots the Spaniards would cover that distance in from two and a half to three days, in much less time than the Oregon can reach it from her present position. The Island of Porto Rico is 500 miles from Curacoa in a

On the other band, Admiral Sampson's ends and the terpedo boat desireyers are equadron Saturday was only 800 miles Waiting for the other vessels. When they from Havans, having been last reported ernising off Porto Plass, San Domingo. The American ships were then about 600 miles from Martinique.

Sampson's Squadron. PORTO PLATA, DOMINICAN RE-

rate o' ten knots an hour, it would take There has been no firing by the Ameri-Admiral Cervera's floor fully five days to can warehips since the hombardment of

The cable connecting San Juan

The state of the s

EXTRA

Sampson Back to Cuba.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—3:40 p. m.—Admiral Sampson has reported to the navy department from Cape Haytian. The department says he will now go to Cienfuegos.

U. S. Blockaders Posted.

NEW YORK, May 16.—The Post's Key West special says: The blockaders on the south coast of Cuba have been warned that the Spanish squadron is heading northwest from the to the signal boy, had but one burning last two weeks troops have been messing coast and to double their vigilance. Powerful vessels will be does, "Avenge the Winslow." sent to aid them against the enemy. There is small chance decks and in the heated engine room and sion as the base of supplies by the Amerithat the Spanish warships will be able to enter Cienfuegos glowing the room, where the blackened can forces. Bundreds of men were workwhere there is plenty of coal and machine shops. Both of our squadrons are advised of the movements of the Spanish fleet | pacino blockede

CAPTURE OF NEWSPAPER MEN.

KEY WEST, May 16.—The tug Uncas has returned from which had decoyed the Winslow up to the by the Wilmington and men and guns off Havana without the American newspaper correspondents, Charles Thrall and Hayden Jones, captured by the Spanish schoolers at anchor whose release the commander of the Uncas attempted to consummate on a basis of exchanging for Spanish prisoners. The details are withheld.

EXCHANGE TO BE MADE.

NEW YORK, May 16.-The Evening World's Key West harbor of Cardenas, not against the town Special says: The representations of the United States the Spanish troops and sallors. The backed by those of British Consul Gollin, have resulted in a gunners of the Wilmington do not waste decision of Blanco, Captain General of Cuba, to exchange two ammunition and the execution was re-American correspondents, recently captured, for two Spanish officers. As soon as these officers can be taken to Key West, they will be sent to Havana under a flag of truce and the exchange effected.

NEW RULE AS TO WAR COAL.

ST. THOMAS, Danish West Indies, May 16.—Coal, in the ing ship. They lett behind many dead to let the smoke fog drift away future, will not be delivered to belligerent warships without and dying. permission of the governor.

GUARDS AT CHICKAMAUGA

Capt. Cassell Caught a Spy, Who Es- from an exploding shell and flamed out The Wilmington still hovers like a caped -- Capt. Parrish Placed Under Arrest.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., May 16.—(Special to Republican) \$20,000,000 for the Navy. Fifth regiment arrived safely in the night. Frank Boone, of Co. H. is very sick. Major Colladay arrested Capt. C. A tary of the navy has prepared a defluteury let battelion of the let regiment which Parrish, of the Taylorville company, for relieving the guard In their present position the Spanish Porto Rico with the cutside world has on the trains. Capt. Cassell, of Co. H, caught a spy near the navy. It may be submitted to the and the other two battelions will follow Nashville. He escaped. LEE MAINE.

THE WINSLOW AVENGED

Town of Cardenas Attacked, Forts Reduced and Spaniards Killed.

United States transport, Gussie, off Cuba, May 14.-On Thursday morning the gunevery man on board, from Captain Todd

Reports of mines planted in the en-

Dead and Dying Left,

steel catarnot, and affoat and ashore target practice, but a spentacle. It was signal stations, masked batteries, and death in the spurting flame and envelopforts were knocked to pleces and the ing smoke cloud, and the only respite Spanish had to fice like rate from a sink- came when the sweating gunners paused

It was the most destructive bombard- haited us this morning and reported

Key West, Fig., May 16 .- On board the | swept Cardenas bare of defenses as one would brush crumbs from a table cloth.

were being planted, one of which surprised

Terrible Punishment.

mington and it was the first real demon

who had become indifferent to American

warships that were always hovering

outside while only smaller torpedo boats

had opened fire and dashed menacingly

It was another matter, however when

the Wilmington, with its eight four inch

guns and secondary battery and a nest of

machine guns in its formidable tighting

The commander of the Wilmington

The town of Cardenas is three miles back from the gulf entrance to the harbor, so that non-combatants probably suffered but slightly. Of course it is impossible to know the Spanish losses bein front of Cardenas in anticipation of a

The watchword along the crowded possible choice of this point for an invagiants toiled stripped to the waist, was ing on earthworks and block houses over-

and made sad bayco on the torpede toat broadsides were the Spanish gunboats Window. This death trap was located masked batteries that had dealt out sud- were blown high into the air.

an hour a hurricane of exploding projecules bellowed and shricked into the but against the ships and defenses, and

Nearly 800 four inch, one-inch, and six- which gave its gunners a platform as nound shells streamed shoreward like a steady as solid rock. It was no longer

ment yet attempted on the Cuban coast. | tereely that "he had thrown nearly \$60 In the harbor two Spanish gunboate shells into Cardenas, inflicting consider without steam up were riddled and sunb, salle damage." He was overmodest. In their crews having fled to the shore in reality he had caused a considerable measmall boats. They had no time to offer some of annihilation and absolutely so in a show of fighting their guns. The two particular instances of certain gunboats, schooners at anchor were sunk where tatteries, small fortifications and sa they lay, and one block house caught fire unknown number of Spanlards. like a war beapon. The Wilmington was bawk between Cardonas and Matassas not touched by the few shells flung at it It has a good store of ammunision left The attack was sudden and superbly and watches eagerly for rigue of convales-

effective. The Wilmington in an hour cence in and around Cardenes harbor

WASSINGTON, May 16,-The sects

Off to Chickamauga.

estimate for over \$30,800,000 for the ord. has been ordered to move to Chickaman. mance equipment, construction, etc., of 'ga, wi'l leave onmy tomorrow sucreits

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It is stated that when the Vizcays was in New York she ordered some awnings. The bill readered was for \$450, which amount was paid after the bill, by request, was made out for \$1650. The ceptain's trimmings were \$1200.

A telegram from Washington states that while there is a strong impression tion of his career, and he had determined among congressmen that Speaker Reed tion of the resolution for the annexation of Hawaii, some at the members closest was asked as to the chances for the paseags of the annexation measure. His reply was: "I think the resolution will closest man in the house to Speaker Reed. He ought to know the purposes of the Speaker regarding the resolution. What he mid does not indicate opposition from the speaker, as the resolution could not pass if consideration of it is not permitted.

St. Louis Giebe-Democrat: The desire of the continent Ruropean nations to make the United States declars itself on the question of the retention of the Philippine Islands will not be gratified. Of course the islands will be held until the war ends. Then the country will consider the question of whether it will hang on to was carried from the stage and physicians them permanently, sell them or exchange were immediately summoned, but the them for territory nearer home. But the aged musician was past medical aid. The country will take its own time about deciding this question, and will decide it but their efforts were futile. Age 64 secording to what it deems at the moment to be the best interests of its people. Europe's meddlesomeness will neither hasten this decision nor modify it in the playing his first selection, he said to a faintest degree. Just at present the friend behind the stage: "Wonderful; United States holds no part of the island wonderful audience; wonderful; a great except the neighborhood of Manila bay, people." His playing of "Old Glory" but enough soldiers will soon be sent to Dewey to enable him to complete the

DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE.

The Names of Those Who Have Been Appointed to Serve.

The following are the names of those who have been appointed as members of the Democratic county central committee:

December, [First--Julius R. Gengerke. Becopd → Dr. J. H. Borks Third-J. P. Dreppan, Fourth—J. W Bradfiel Fifth-Frank Ewing. Sixth-G. A. Stadler. Seventh-E. C. Thayer. Eighth-A. J. Hartley. Ninth-John H. King. Tenth--I. H. Snyder. Eleventh-R. F. Kincaid. Twelfth-John Faher. Thirteenta-Fred Salogaa. Fourteento-W. S Knight. Fifteenth-A. O. Bolen. Sixteenth-Lee S. Hall. Seventeenth-C. M. Borchers. Righteenth-David Patterson. Austin-Roy James, Kenney, Ill. Blue Mound-R. H Smith, Decatur. Friends Creek-C. R. Greenfeld, Ar

END LA Htckory Point-H. Hays, Decator, Barristown-Dr. J. L. Connelly, Harrictown.

Illini-F. B. Ritchie, Warrengburg. Long Creek-C. D. Smith, Long Creek. Maroa-Bruse Waller, D. Weilepp, Ma

Milam-William Best, Dalton City. Mt. Zion -- W. S. Whitehouse, Mt. Zion. Niantio-J. P. Faris, Niantic.

Oakley...E. B. Smith, Oakley. Pleasant View...W. H. Firey, Blue

South Mason-Fred Kraschell, Mason. South Wheatland-Frank Ward, Elwin. Whitmers-T. J. Austin, Orenna.

The executive committee is composed of E. B. Smith of Oakley, Ray James of Austin, Fred Kraschall of Maoin and R. F. Kinceld and W. E. Enight of Decator. The saditing committee is composed of E. Hays of Hickory Point and David m and C. M. Borehurs of Desatur

A horse power is calculated to be suff not to raise \$5,000 percents to the highs one feet in a minute.

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church has been changed to 7:45 c'olock. The Ladies' Aid society of the College street chanel will meet at the chanel on Wednesday afterneon at 2 o'clock.

The Girls' Mission Band of College street chanel will meet at the chanellon Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The following members of the First Prosbyterian church will attend the general assembly at Winona this week leaving here on Wednesday morning via the Wabash to Chicago and thence to Winopa: Dr. and Mrs.W. H Penballegon, Mr. aud Mrs. T. T. Roberts, Mrs. J. K. Love, Mrs. Josiah Brown, Miss Hattle Brown, Mrs. Carrie Powers.

GREAT ARTIST GONE.

Edouard Remenyl, the Violinist, Dropped Dead Sunday Afternoon.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., May 16.-Edouard Remenyl, who has held royalty to face with a coalition of the continentaudiences all over the world, fell dead Sunday afternoon at the Orpheum Theatre, in this city. As the great artist and moderate demands which may be appeared and was greeted with sumultu- put forward by the United States in ous applause he bowed his acknowledgement and seemed immensely pleased at the reception given him.

He had played two or three classics pieces, and had answered to an encore with the most familiar "Old Glory." Remenyi played as if inspired. It seemed that negotiations were going on, and as if he knew this was to be the culminathat his final appearance should mark his wil set himself up against the consideration greatest triumph. He rose to the occasion magnificently, and his 3000 auditors, as continental pressure. No doubt a presi-Remenyl approached his climax, literally dent of the highest statesmanship and to the speaker do not share this view of bis intentions. Congressmar Dingley excitement, completely carried away by "Nonsense. This is only bluff. The his achievement.

When the music ceased, the house was swept with a wild torrent of bravos. The pass." Mr. Dingley is probably the applause was almost deafening and continued for several minutes. Remenyl and his accompanist, E. S. Rosner, came must and would come to our aid, and forward and in response to another burst of applause the great Remenyi com- coalition." But then Mr. McKinley, menced to play "Delibe's Pizzicati." He though he may be brave, probably had just completed a few bars of the difficult fingering, when he leaned forward as if to speak to one of the musielans in the orchestra, continuing his piece. He seemed to pause for a minute and then slowly fell forward on his face. One of the musicians caught him just hefore he touched the stage and prevented him from rolling off. All was over. He doctors worked upon him for some time.

> Remenyt had seemed overwhelmed at the great reception given him. After was truly enchanting. His instrument seemed to speak. The expression was marvelous. It seemed as if he must have known it was to have been his floal effort.

DRAPER FOUND NOT GUILTY.

Jury Out Fifteen Hours—Arguments Said to Have Had No Effect.

JERSEYVILLE, ILL., May 16-The jury in the Draper murder trial has been out 15 hours returned a verdict of not guilty. On the first ballot, it appears, the jurors stood seven for acquittal to five or manelaughter. After reading the

5909 will be printed and a copy will be sent not only to those who will attend the tornament but to every are depart-

ment in the mate. The members of the local society believe that the tournament will be one of the largest ever held in the state before and the indications now are that it will be s

Grandena Robbins, th years old, died May 9 at the home of ter daughter, Mrtt

OUR FRIENDS IN ENGLAND.

They Would Support Us in Any Co.

The reasons that induced the president of the United States to withhold his message have not yet been fully stated, but in all probability the simplest and most natural explanation is the true one. The president was told that if he sent his message and war resulted the lives of the American citizens in Cuba-women and children as well as men-would be in grave peril. In a word, the consular authorities asked for another three days to withdraw the American population of Havana. Statesmen with a strong sense of responsibility are never sorry for an excuse not to say a word which makes the guns speak; but here it was not a case of excuse, but an almost imperative reason. The risk of a massacre of the Americans in Havana was a risk too great to run if it could be prevented by a few days' delay. As we have said, this explanation is quite sufficient: but here may be another, though it is one which, by its nature, could not be dis-closed. Though most unlikely, it is just possible that the president found, spondented and has enthralled fashionable at powers formed nominally "to preserve the peace of the world, and to induce Spain to yield to all reasonable regard both to Cuba and the Maine." Suppose that such a coalition exists,

or looks like coming into existencecoalition formed of France and Russia Germany and Austria—the president might well feel cause for hesitation and delay. If he were warned privately were to notice confirmatory symptoms in the official behavior of the continental envoys, it would want a very strong and resolute president to put aside all thought of considering the continental powers are not going to do anything but use hints about Spain. The moment we act all their protests and talk of 'we could an' we would will die away. Besides, if such a crisis we and England need not fear any would be a good deal bewildered by the thought of America against all Europe In all probability, too, he would not feel sure that he could reckon on our help, for he would mistake our habitual diplomatic reserve for indifference. As ly attacked by a great continental coalition. England would be at her side it 24 hours.-London Spectator.

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The Eureka Journal reports flabing excelient in streams in that vicinity.

Miss Mary Monahan and William Kirk were married last week at Forrest.

Dr. F. D. Pratz, formerly of Eureka, has permanently located at Moweaqua.



for manelaughter. After reading the instructions and discussion, the voic was nine for acquittal and three for manelaughter and so stood during many successive ballots, until 8 o'clock in the morning, when the jurors restred to reat. At 7 o'crock they resumed balloting and continued until the vote for acquitts! became unanimous. The vardict has been the exciting topic of controversy here all day, many fully approving and as many strongly condemning it. Some of the jurors say that they had all made up their minds after hearing the testimony as indicated by the first ballot, and were not at all changed by the arguments of the counsel.

GETTING ADVERTISEMENTS:

Committee of the Firemen's Tournament are Working Now.

The members of the local volunteer firemen are working hard prepariting for the tournament which will be held in this city on July 19, 20 and 21. One of the committees is ont soliciting advertisments from the merchants and is meeting with committees is ont soliciting advertisments from the merchants and is meeting with committees is ont soliciting advertisments from the merchants and is meeting with committees is ont soliciting advertisments from the merchants and is meeting with committees is ont soliciting advertisments from the merchants and is meeting with committees is ont soliciting advertisments from the merchants and is meeting with committees is ont soliciting advertisments from the merchants and is meeting with committees is ont soliciting advertisments from the merchants and is a meeting with committees is ont soliciting advertisments from the merchants and is meeting with committees is ont soliciting advertisments from the merchants and is a meeting with committees is ont soliciting advertisments from the merchants and is meeting with committees is ont soliciting advertisments from the merchants and is meeting with committees is ont soliciting advertisments from the merchants and is a meeting with committees is ont soliciting advertisments from the merchants and is a meeting with committees

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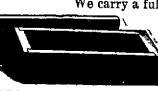
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which the applications could now be ac-

SCHOOL NOTES.

County Schools.

teachers have now been supplied.

city. They met at the high school.

The T. P. A. Meeting.

good meeting Saturday night at the K.

of P. hall in the Powers block. The nur-

nose of the meeting was to elect officers

and arrange for a big entertainment

which will be given next Saturday even-

ing. It is expected that the reception will

be quite a large affair. It was also decided

lenge from the Danville post to play base

ball and Joe Bixby was appointed as

Second Vice President- O. B King.

Third vice President-Will J. Leiby.

Patriotic Endeavorers.

Duet-Helen and Elizabeth Terry.

Violin Soio-Heien Milis.

Youal Solo-Ruth Roberts.

America-Junior C. E. society,

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Sunday School Convention.

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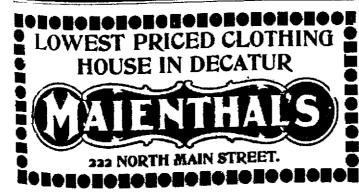
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LOCAL NEWS.

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Garden and Flower Seed, Nasturtium,

The Latest in Spring Suitings-T.F. Thomas Nicholson was arrested Setur day by Deputy Sheriff Cass Nicholson. He

This morning one of the Wabash officers arrested two men by the names of Smith and McDonald. They were hanging and the women will be installed in the around the railroad yards and sleeping in hospitals. a caboose. They were brought to the city prison where they were looked up.

Raised a Disturbance.

Last night the police arrested two Doings of Teachers and Scholars of soung men and two girls who were raising a disturbance in the Rude tailor shop on North Water street. They were makpolice pulled the place and the four were up for the night. One of them is not more than 16 years old.

ever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an in-flamed condition of the mucous sur-

or any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. F.J. Chener & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

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possible to continue with the work.

Mrs. Wilson alternate delegate at large.

Harry Davis, who was arrested for stealing an expressat from a restaurant, was before Judge Hammer Saturday He was given 23 days in jall and fined \$1.

leep, depending entirely on a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the condition of all the vital organs. If the liver is inactive, you have a bilious look if your stomach is disordered you have a dyspeptic look; if your kidneys are affected you have a pinched look. Secure good health and you will surely have good looks. "Electric Bitters" is a good Alterative and Tonic. Acts directly on the stomach, liver and kidkeys, purifies the blood, cures pumples, blotches and boils, and gives a good complexion. Every bottle guaranteed. Sold at J.E. King's and C. F. Shilling's drug stores. 50 cents per bottle.

Arrived Vesterday,

Our fresh stock of garden seeds, everyabing in that line can be had at Leon & west. This will afford parties wishing

Dercas Society Meeting. The members of the Dorcas society will hold a meeting next Tuesday afternoon at

2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Weigand, 262 East Bradford street.

CHURCH SERVICES

Sermons DeliveredSunday A circular letter has been sent out by by City Preachers. the war department from the office of George F. Sternberg, surgeon general of

Were Described by Rev. S. H. Bowyer and many small beys were to be seen coming in in every mail. None of these applications will be considered at present at Baptist Church-Sermon at but those who are immunes, having Presbyterian Church-Minpassed through a slege of the yellow fever.

if purses should be required all applications are placed on file for reference and This letter explains that so greatly has the facilities of the employee of this office been faxed in answering these letters servious are given below. that a circular letter was the only way in

FIRST BAPTIST CRUECH

This is discouraging to the women who morning Rev. Bowyer talked to the conhave offered to assist as nurses and espe- gregation of his recent experience as delecially to those knowing the processity of a gate from the Baptist Educational Sociwoman in a position r this kind. Sur- cty of Illinois to the meeting of the geons who are the highest authority say Southern Baptist Ministerial association that they will insist on the women as which was held at Norfolk, Va., last week. nurses in preference to the men and if the More than 800 ministers were in attenddemand is general it is very likely that ance. the war department will make the change

> stances in which the southern conventions differed from those of the north. The

Rev. Bowyer found the men of the outh as one with the northern their patriotism in the present crisis, but in many instances the most charming of the women he met were the most bitter yet in their feeling toward the north: a feelto give a big basket plouis during the ing which their natural desire to extend courtesy to their northern guests could

Ray, J. D. Jordon, a former pastor o manager of the ball nine. The team will the First Baptist church of this city was go into training at once. The following a speaker at the convention. He is now stationed at Savannah, Ga.

Rev. Ruffner, a descen on the staff at Grass church, New York city, preache yesterday morning at St.John's Episcopal church. Mr. Ruffner is on his way to Quincy, Ill., and next Thursday he will be ordained a minister at Springfield. He preached to quite a good sized congre-Streator, where they attended the state Presbyterian church will give a patriotic of the manner of carrying on the church social at the church parlors this evening. work in New York city. His talk was A small admittance fee will be charged interesting and instructive. Mr Ruffner and refreshments will be on sale. The will leave at 4 o'clock this afternoon for

GRACE M. E CHURCH.

bers were received. In the evening the Utah as the last state admitted, ermon dealt with the divine supervision in the five great wars of America, with an analysis of the causes, the cost, the sacrifice, the losses and the results. The concluding sermon of the series, next train to Indianapolis and return. Fare \$1 Sunday evening, is upon "The Songs of for the round trip. Special train will War," with illustrations by the choir, interspered, during the talk. A mother's prayer meeting is announced for next special train will leave Indianapolie at Friday afternoon, and the Woman's Home Missionary society meets Tuesday with Mrs. Elwood on West William street. A large delegation from the Epworth Train No. 4 leaves Peorla at B a. m. every League goes to Latham Tuesday evening Sunday morning, arriving at Decatur at to attend the district meeting.

> First M. E. church will give a musicale at the home of Miss Lalah Randle of 753 North Edward street on Thursday even

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCE The class in literature will meet at the parlors of the First Presbyterian church on Wednesday afternoon at 2:80 o'clock

The annual meeting of the Westminster Guild will be held at the Westminster The 24th annual convention of the Illi chapel on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 nois State Sunday school association will

o'clock.

Sunday evening at the First Presbyterian

Continued on Second Page

SPRING FISHERMEN

Along the Banks of the Sangamon Sunday-One Bass Caught.

The first fishing senson of the year has begun. For the past week the small boy and in many instances the boys of more mature size, have been in evidence along the banks of the Saugamon from the St. Ford bridge. There were more out yesterday perhaps than there has been altogether this spring, business men, clerks from early yesterday morning until late in the evening, singly and in groups, patiently sitting on the bank or a fallen log which stretched out over the water, waiting for a "catch."

There is the greatest variety seen in the rods used by the ameteurs. A few used the complex reel with a fine red and willow red and a bent pin book with the with the reel and up to date rod.

The vicinity of the Cow Ford bridge is s favorite spot and the best catch made At the First Baptist church on Sunday | yesterday was near this bridge. It was a bass weighing nearly two pounds and was erbiblied by the lucky figherman with great pride and with envy among the lass

Several of the Sabermen went bome with a good string of fish as a result of the day's sport. The fish caught were mostly of the cat fish, silver sides, red horse and sucker variey.

The Past Year-Woman's Work.

the Woman's club is crawing to a cluss for the year and the members while looking upon the past year as one of the most successful the club calendar are with one accord drawing a breath of relief that the work for the year is so nearly over. It has been a most profitable year in every respect. One new division, the Child's Study, has been added to the list and all the divisions have developed new features of interest and progress. The district federation of Woman's clubs has been organized and much has been done toward making Decatur and the Decatur district of clubs the most nowerful in the state. The work for the coming year has been manned out in many of the divisions and each program shows improvement in the line of study and an up to date conception of the demands to be met in an organization of this kind. The members of the club will go to their summer diversions with keener interest and more zest for their vacation because of the year's work which has developed latent powers of onjoyment and opened up vistas of light and appreciation in the cycle of years which will be of untold benefit.

Nearly all of the plans for the summer made by the members of the divisions include a course of reading of some popular author and the vacation of each mem ber while welcomed because of the diversion from the routine work will be a preparation for a mere thorough enjoy ment of the coming year of study.

The Number of States. The question of the number of states

in the union came up between two of the employes in one of the large dry goods houses in the city the other day. One was firm in his belief that there were 44 and the other that there were 48. Inquiry of a number of their fellow employed brought out the fact that opinions were greatly divided on the question. Some believed there were 44, some 42 and other 45 and 48. A number of bets were nut be preached again at All Augels' church up and they started out to find out the tion might he found only complicated matters as no one seemed to be entirely anre about the metter. In the meantime the question was put to several customer and all were in a state of uncertainty as

> to the expet number. A diligent search finally decided the number at 15 and One Dollar to Indianapolis and Return

> On Sunday, May 22, 1898, the L., D. & W. Ry will run a special fast excursion leave Decatur at 6.30 a. m., arriving at Indianapelis at 11 b0 a m Returning 6:80 p. m. Tickets good only on special

Sewerage is Bad.

The grand jury has recommended that some repairs he made in the sewerage at the county jail, reporting the same to be



Highest Honors, World's Fair Gold Medal, Midwinter Pair

COFFEES?

"The Economy,"

Davis-Cabs 25c, Trunks 15c. Council meeting this evening.

Geo. W. Ehrhart loans money on

Sweet Peas, choice mixed in bulk or packages. Kentucky Blue Gram all new and fresh seed. Open evenings. Hughes & Co., Opera House Block.--mar21-dtf

was charged with assault and battery, May Wolfe being the complaining witness. Nicholson gave bond for his ap-

ing so much noise that they disturbed the at the Nivotic school on June 3. There is however, from all points of view. Rev. people in the adjoining building and a large class of pupils who will graduate. could be heard across the street. The The commencement exercises at the Monticello schools took place Friday. There taken to the headquarters. The two men was a graduating class of six, five young gave their names as Henry Pratt and Ed ladies and one young man. The exercises yards and inspected the flying squadron Bell and gave bond. One of the girls were quite largely attended. was Stella Milligan and the other is named Hall. The two girls were looked next year at the Bells Prairie school, which was the centre of some of the most

Deafness Cannot be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies beatness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflamention can be taken mless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed for

faces.
We will give One Hundred Dollars summer. The post has received a chal-

Work is Detained.

The work of paving South Main street has been set back on scount of the rains. It was hoped that the street could be done by Decoration Day, but now it is feared that it will be impossible to have it finished by that time. The rain put the street in such a condition that it was im-

Returned from Streator.

Mr. Mary A. Hamsher, Mrs. Nellie Shultz and Mrs. Mattie B. Wilson returned at 7:55 Saturday evening from convention of the Ladies' Aid society of the Sons of Veterans. Mrs Hamsher was elected division vice president, Mrs. Shultz was elected division delegate and

gram will be given: A Jail Sentence.

How to Look Good

Good looks are really more than skin

Morrie' store, 188 East Wood street .-- 15-

Bucklen a Arnton Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cute
Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rhoum
Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands
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and positively curse Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect
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King and C. F. Shilling.

War Department Will Not Consider

nurses who had offered their services to SCENES IN THE HAVY YARD Louis bridge for a mile above the Cow

ister from New York.

The rain and wet kept many persons fairly good. Accounts of some of the

Rev. Rowver oited a number of in

work is not so systematized and there is a lack of the business aspect which characterizes the northern conventions. At this convention there were no printed programs and each nerson had to find out for himself what was being and going to be done. The convention was a success Bowver found the oft snoken of southern bosnitality not at all overdrawn and was most delightfully entertained during bis stay in Norfolk. He visited the navy at Hampton Reads and spoke of the pres Balph Griffin has been engaged to teach | ent aspect of the Shonandoch Valley, Miss Nora Walton has been engaged for bitter contests in the late war, new being the American school and Biram Winter | united in patriotism with the stars and for the Bols de Arc school. Most all the stripes floating from every flag pole and the cities decorated profusely in the national colors. The scene at the navy yards Saturday there as a grade meeting of the teachers of the ward schools of the is an impressive one. Acres of ground is covered with piles of shot and shell and other variety of ammunition. The greatest activity is going on night and day in The members of Post K, T. P. A., held the preparations of the supplies for the warships.

not guite bide.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

First Vice President-Frank Reinstorff.

Secretary and Treasurer-W.C.Parrish Directors-W. P. Shade, J. D. Temple ton, and George E. Boyer for two years; Jos Bixby and G. A. Abrens for one year,

Manager Base Ball Team-Joe Bixby. Patriotic Endeavorers.

The Senior Intermediate and Junior Episcopal. At the close of the service library, newspaper offices and several Christian Endeafor societies of the First | talked to the congregation

decorations, refreshments, etc., will be on Quincy.

the patriotic order. The following pro-At the morning service two new mem-Star Spangled Banner-Junior Orches Recitation, "America"-Judith Mills. Marching Through Georgia-Junio The Peoria, Decatur & Evansville rail way put on two trains Sunday, May 15, running between Evansville and Peorla.

11:10 a. m., departing for Mattoon and The Busy Girls' Mission Band of the Evansville at 11:30 s. m. Train No. 40 leaves Ryansville at 7:50 every Sunday morning, arriving at Decatur at 8:10 p. m., leaving Decatur at 8:80 p.m. for Peoria and all points north and north-

Mrs. R. G. Wells, president.

open at the Edward street Christian The Ladice' Aid society of the First Presbytarian church will hold their regular monthly meeting and sewing at the church parlors on Friday afternoon at

The hour for the evening services o

VOLUNTEERS AT BIG PARK GUSSIE TRIP

Steady Arrival of Troops at Chattanooga=-All States in Line.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., May 16 - | arrived yesterday The 5d Wisconsin ar-Chickamanga tark, left vacant by the rivel early this morning and went at departure of the regulars is rapidly filllog up with volunteers from all parts of the country. Volunteers are pouring transfer by the ratiroads could be made. into the park in train loads and the work | The 4th Ohio infantry came next. Trains of getting them camped and properly are arriving avery hour. Considerable accommodated is immense. The 1st difficulty is experienced in getting all the Ohio cavairy and 1st Ohio infantry commands transferred to the park.

SAGASTA ON SPANISH FLEET

Statement That Admiral Cerveras Has No Instructions--Free Action.

CURACOA, May 16.-The Spanish oruleers Vizcaya and Maria Teresa left here last evening. Destination unknown. The other four Spanish warships which were off the harbor disappeared at noor, but in the evening one torpedo boat destroyer was sighted again. The departure of the warships was due to the request of the government, directing them to leave as provided in the decree of neutrality.

Yale Left St. Thomas.

ST. THOMAS, DANISH WEST INDIES, May 16,-The auxiliary ordiser Yale left Sunday afternoon heading west.

The Terror.

ST. PIERRE, MARTINIQUE, May 16 .- (Copyrighted by the Associated Press.).-The Spanish torpedo hoat, Terror, which has been undergoing repairs at Fort de France, will probably leave that port today.

The Spanish Fleet.

MADRID, May 16 .- Premier Sagasta this afternoon formally handed to the queen regent the resignations of the cubinet. Senor Moret, minister of colonies, confirmed the statement that any changes in the cabinet would be in the direction of a more active war policy. He said: "Recent events have greatly increased the war spirit of the nation. The greatest reliance is placed on Admiral Cervera's equadron. Cervera is not hampered by instructions. The details of his plains are not even known to the ministers."

LOCATION OF THE FLEETS.

Review of Situation as Outlined at Washington City.

ed battle between Admiral Sampson's steaming toward Cuba for aught unoffisquadron and the Spanish armada in the clai Washington knows to the contrary. Caribbean Sea is the all absorbing topic in all circles.

cipher dispatches Sunday, but gave out little. It made one important statement bearing on the naval situation among the Antilles by reporting that the Spanish torpedo boat Terror was at Fort of France, Martinique, and disabled.

miles away, also undergoing repairs.

American vessel is one of the converted test the blockading fleet. The presence course, abe is without armor.

the American auxiliary cruiser should seasonst. If Sampson has stationed him-black mare 4 years old, suitable for boy beautiful. Secure your seats this evening wide

good news in Washington, as St. Figure destination. lies to the north of Fort de France.

ispatches.

The remainder of the Spanish armada was at the Dutch island of Curacca, a Atlantic coast in the vicinity of Cuba.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The expect | hundred miles north of Venezuela, or

It is so far to the westward there is little fear of its intercepting the Oregon, Marietta and Buffalo. Naval officers The navy department received many | think it is headed for Clenfuegos to land supplies for General Blanco and the pecple of Hayana

Plans Kept Dark.

every precention to prevent the where-The Harvard is at St. Plerre, about 20 abouts of Sampson's squadron from becoming known to the public. It is prob-The Terror has been cruising in the ably lying in wait for the enemy at the offing of St Pierre, and it was feared she Windward Passage between Cuba and was lying in wait for the Harvard. The Hayti, or is on the way to Havana to pro- Decatus, on steamships, but was rushed into service of the Yale at St. Thomas Sunday would Ten head of choice Jersey cows and 3 so hastily she has almost nothing in the indicate that Sampson had left scouts on Jersey bulls, including Pana Chief 49,452. shape of guns to defend herself, and, of guard to report the movement of the dropped Nov. 27, 1896. This is a fine enemy if he should attempt to sneak The Terror is a much faster boat, and through the Virgin or the Mona passes might easily overtake the Harvard, unless and make a dash at the North Atlantic handsome light drivers, one pretty little new one and the scenery is also new and

If the armada could once be caught A rumor was affect that the Yale had inside that harbor is could only escape been captured by the Spaniards, but annihilation by surrender. The exit is so Washington officials heard from her at St. narrow it could not maneuvar or work its if not paid when due. S. M. LUTZ, Thomas, where she put in to get and send ships to advantage, and would not get the benefit of their speed.

The flying squadron is on the South

Guenther in Command.

Guenther has been assigned to temporary command of the troups concentrated at be raised to \$1800 after July 1 because Washington.

In a bushel of wheat there are 555,900 In a bushel of wheat there are 555,200; at the C. B. Prescott music house. Every seeds; rye, 886,480; slover, 16,400,900; instrument first class and up to date. climathy, 41,888,406.

There are 1936 registered dentists and All's registered pharmacista in the German empire.

The diameter of the moon is \$100 miles

Never wear a shoe with a sole narrowe than the outline of the foot traced with a WASHINGTON, May 16.—General pencil close under the rounding edge.

of the increased business of the office,

Select a Reed & Sou's standard plane Terms cary.

The Euraka Journal reports fishing ex collent in streams in that vicinity. Miss Mary Monshan and William Kirk rere married last week at Ferrest.

Dr. F. D. Frain, formerly of Euroba, onto

steamer Gussle, which left Tapma, Fla., infantry on board in charge of 7000 rifles ette to Vera Croz. Blanco has shown of Pinar del Ruio, remained off the coast forces. The city and forts are provisioned ning, in a vain attempt to land its cargo. Captain J.H. Dorst of the staff of General Miles and formerly United States military now surrounded by entrenchments for 30 mander appeared crestfallen, having failed interior fighting the insurgents. to accomplish the mission intrusted to

Captain Dorst says the failure of the Cubans were unable to meet the landing party at the rendezvous, and the Americans could not land supplies with no one ging for morsels of food. to receive them.

Captain Dorst is convinced that the Spaniards have a good system of communication along the coast and that they vent the landing of a small force, such as the one he commanded, and the cantain tion can be sent to the insurgents is to with guns sufficient to beat off an attack. allow supplies to come in. Then, he adds, the arms and ammunition should be conveyed inland by United States soldiers

were current in the cities Sunday and the rumors were published. - The main eccop." by the sensational sheets was to the effect that the American and Spanish fleets had mest, and that seven to eleven of the Spanish vessels had been sunk, while the New York and one other American warship had gone to the bottom of the sia. The rumors were without foundation. There was no engagement Saturday or Sunday.

Interest in Decatur.

The rumors of the engagement occasioned widespread interest in Decatur, and the Republican bulletin board on Sunday was closely watched for confirmation or denials. Generally the aterior He Passed Away Sunday Morning at were not oredited, and yet there was considerable apprehension. In response to an inquiry sent to Manager Stone of the Associated Press, came this answer which was promptly posted:

CHICAGO, May 15 .- To Republican: 'No: it is absurd. M. E. Stone."

Missed One Cable.

has cable connection with Cienfueges and The American strategists are taking Santiago. The Americans to their brave street. work out one cable but failed to sever a

Public Stock Sale

The undersigned will offer at public sale at our farm, 3 miles northwest of

MONDAY, MAY 23,

the American auxiliary cruiser should get out of sight before her escape became this purpose to follow the enemy to Cleuble world greatest the purpose to follow the enemy to Cleuble world greatest the purpose to follow the enemy to Cleuble world greatest the purpose to follow the enemy to Cleuble world greatest the search to ride, Also one fine black saddle mare The cripping of the Terror is therefore fuegos, if that proves to be the Spaniard's We also sell 8 head of fine young brood sows. For the accommodation of farm ers the sale will begin at 1:30 sharp. Notes with approved security to be given stroke of paralysis yesterday. before stock is removed. Notes due January 1st, 1899. Interest from date of the city, is ill of passmenia. P. A. LUTZ.

Col. W. H. Knight, auctioneer.

Exeter Student Soldiers.

Ira M. Clokey writes his father, Attorney J. M. Clokey, that a military company has been organized at Exeter college and 100 of the students have joined the company, himself one of the number. The salary of Postmaster Paxton will The company will be drilled by an office of the state militia.

A Rich Hand.

PARIS, May 16 .- A package containon the Paris, Lyons and Mediterranean A. Willard will conduct the services. railroad. No sine.

Visible Supply. CHICAGO, May 16,-The visible sup ply wheat is \$1,990,000; corn \$2,600,000,

AS SPANIAROS TELL IT.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 16 .- Leading Spanish residents bave Incide news from on May 16 with two companies of the lat Hayana, brought by the steamer Lafayand 200,000 rounds of ammunition in- great energy in preparing for the expected tended for the insurgents in the province siege by the American fleet and land of Cuba Thursday, Friday and Saturday, for three or four months. It is believed convoyed by the auxiliary gunboat Man. | the mortality among the besiegers in the hot and rainy season will compel the Americans to raise the siege. Havana is attache at Vienna, headed the expedition, miles. The troops in the garrison number which returned here Sunday. The com- 70,000 and a like number are in the

The condition of the reconcentrades in Havana grows steadily worse. The Span lards ask them when their Yankee beneexpedition was due to the fact that the factors are coming to relieve them. The mortality is increasing among this wretched class, who have taken to beg

Nobody in Havana, except a few higher officers, knows that the Spanish fleet was believed that the Americans were beater can quickly raise enough troops to pre- there. Blanco allows no unfavorable news to be circulated.

Another account is that food supplies in Hayana are good for a much less time an that Blanco is in a trap unless the land them under the cover of warships Spanish fleet breaks the blockadde to

> The Havana people continue light hearted and theatres put on pleces ridaculing the American fleet,

Accident at Sea.

LIVERPOOL, May 16 .- The Norwe gian steamer Klondike is dooked with pows badly damaged. The Klondike re- Fancy chacks, velours, cassimeres and ports that Saturday night the vessel met worsteds in collision with the British steamer Ben Holm. The latter was so badly damaged that she foundered. Twelve of the crew. including the master, were drowned. Nine were rescued and brought to Liver-

Naval Reserves to Muster

CLEVELAND, OHIO, May 16 .- The adjutant general of the Obio naval reserves has been instructed by the navy department to arrange for mustering 200 men from the reserves, to be assigned t

DEATH OF JAMES PALMER

His Home in Decatur.

James Palmer died at 1 a. m. Sunday at the home of his brother, Michael Palmer, 604 West Wood street, aged 54 years. He was born in County Klikeary, Ireland, and came to this city in 1866. He was a partner with his brother Michael Palmer, in the business of selling sand. The deceased was a member of St. Patrick's Catholic church and was well known in WASHINGTON, May 16.—Bianco still the city. Bestdes his brother be leaves one sister, Mrs. Canell of East Condit.

The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from St. Patrick's church. Solemn high mass will be calebrated by Rev. Father Brady and the

THE STAGE.

FOY.

Eddle Foy in "Mr. Packer, of Chicago," will be the star attraction at the individual. 10 head of good horses of Grand temorrow night for the benefit of the largest cities of the East. Their all ages and weight, some for surrey and the Elks. There has been a large advance startling original discoveries of medical some for farming use, and some are sale of reserved seats. The comedy is a agents and succeedful application of handsome light-drivers, one pretty little new one and the general is also new and them to particular classes of diseases,

With the Sick. The mother of Mrs. Joseph Bishop of

West Prairie street suffered a severe Mrs. Sarah Watts, residing southwes

Mrs. Chadsey, mother of Mrs. Scruggs who has been III, is tuuch better. Mrs. Ben Howenstine is ill.

The Lutz Sale.

The sale of fine stock at the Lutz farm three miles northwest of the city, will be held Monday, May 23, instead of Tuesday, May 81, the date formerly announced Sale begins at 1:80 p. m.

Decoration Day at Macon. The Grand Army post and the Sons of

Veterans of Macon will celebrate Decora tion Day with the usual ceremony this ing over 500,000 france in recurities and year. Memorial services will be held at the gold was stolen this morning from a car M. E. church on Sunday, May 29. Ray.

Meet at Galesburg. The Illinois State Medical society will

be in session at Galesburg on Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday of this week onia 4,700,000, rys 1,427,000, barley 580, Several of the physicians of Dreatur will

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Child's Juniors, age 3 to 7

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\$2.50

Child's Knee Pant Suite, 8 to 15.

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All Wool, many with double seats and knees, in fancy checks velours, etc.

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Chronic Diseases

Th day of so called "incurable diseases" is past. Owing to the great advances made in science and invention within the past few years. There is hardly a disease that cannot be successfully coped with by the great physician, properly equipped with the genius and knowledge to diagnose the case, and then the newly invented and improved surgical instruments and medicine for treatment.

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To there who are suffering from one or more of the various forms of nerrous debility, resulting in some of the following symptoms: Biotches, pimples, involuntary emissions, loss of memory, aversion to society, and mability to what it should be,

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> The United States picket ship Harvard is at Martinique and it is thought that part of the Spanish plan includes her de-A dispatch from Martinique says that

eight Spanish ships and seven torpedo boate are in the vicinity of that island. Cable service to Cienfueges is absolute-

SPAIN WITHOUT A CABINET.

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Festival and Entertainment. The young ladies of Mrs. John E. strawberry festival in the basement of the road on East Wood street. hurch on Thursday evening. During the evening the following program will be offered:

Dust-Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gher. Sole-Miss Phillips. Instrumental dust-Misses Stella and

Selection-Mandolin Club. Whistling Solo-Mis Nellie Werner.

Vocal Solo-John Patin. Violin Solo-Loran Campbell Selection, Quartet-Mesers. Starling, Keith, Dills and Fletcher.

Strike at Oshkosh,

OSRKOSH, WIS., May 16 .- Two thousand members of the Woodworkers' Union struck this morning for Bo per cent advance in wages, weekly pay, the aboltsion of female labor and the recognition of the union. L'The strikers are ordsely.

Belongs to Roosevelt's Regiment. Will Moran, a brother of James J. Moran of this city, belongs to Theodore Ruosevelt's cowboy regiment. Moran has been in New Mexico for some sime pass for the benefit of his health and he joined the cowboy regiment.

Mrs. Crosby May 10. Mrs. Ellen Crosby of Chicago, the well

known lecturer on the operas of Wagner. will lecture at the Woman's club rooms on Thursday evening, May 19. Mrs. Crosby will talk on Wagner's "Rhinegold," and will illustrate her talk by massages from the opera.

the city for a long time superintending Bread Gone Up.

ADDITIONAL PERSONALIA.

-Mrs. Fred L. Williams and sone Reginald and Robert, are visiting in In

-Miss Grace Pierson is visiting in Kansas City.

-Mrs. Walter Keeler has returned t er home at St. Louis after a visit of sev aval weeks with Decatur relatives and

-Miss Katherine Mills of South Bend s the guest of Miss Floy Gasaway. -Mrs. M. P. Murphey is in Chicago.

-Knex P. Taylor of Bloomington, state superintendent, and Rev. N. S. Haynes of Chicago, have arrived in the city to attend the State Sunday School

-Mrs. Matilla Gouker has taken a po sition as saleslady in the underwear and hostery department at Linn & Serugge.

-Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Park butst of Forsyth, on Saturday evening,

-Mrs.O.T. Eddy will return tomorrow rom a visit with friends at Effingham, -W. R. Black of Mt. Zion was in the

-George Short spent Sunday in War ensburg

-Miss Lottle Tuills visited with Warensburg friends over Sunday.

-Rev. E. H. Durham of Moweaque was in the city today on routs to Latham where he will attend the Epworth League convention. Rev. Durham is president of the District Epworth Longue associa-

-Mrs. Harry Folckemer of Camp Point is visiting with the family of A. M. Werner.

-Misses Frankle Roff and Jessie Whitaker of Macon were in the city today.

-Mrs. H. E. Gillmore of Chicago and Miss Addie Brown of Vandalia were en tertained by the family of Attorney I. A. Buckingbam over Sunday and recurred to their homes this morning.

-Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Upham of Chi -Termey Pease of Cisco city Sunday visiting friends.

-Charles Shultz went to Chicago Sun-

day to visit friends. -Miss Bessie Grist of Chicago was in Decatur Saturday and Sunday visiting and Auge.

-Attorney I. R. Mills went to Arcola

- Richard L. Hardy transacted husines in Decatur today. -W. A. Cash left this morning for

business trip throughout the state. -Hon, Ban S, Freeman is recovering rom a recent illness.

-Miss Villa Mills went to Chicago on Saturday afternoon to take a special course in the study of shorthand. She will remain in Chicago several weeks.

-Miss Ellen Soully of Illiapolis is in the city the guest of friends.

-Dr. J. H. Baldwin of New Albany, Ind., is the guest of his brother, Attorney . S. Baldwin.

...J. W. Higgins of La Salle, superintendent of the Illinois Central, was in the oity Saturday to confer with the parties King's Sunday school class of the Grace interested in the work of the grading of commander of the Cadiz squadron, called M. E. church will give an ice cream and the right of way of the Illinois Contral

-Hon Ben Freeman is ill.

-Mrs. M. A. Young of Chicago is in friends.

-Mrs. John Gardiner returned from Chicago several days ago. -Mrs. C. E. Akers and son, Ernest,

of Chicago, are the guests of Mrs. Terry of North Main street.

-E. L. Gifford of Spillivan spent Sun day wib Decatur friends. -Mrs. H. J. Votaw of West Wood

street is ill. -Miss Alice Knickerbarker of Spring-

field, who has been In the city visiting her cousin, Mrs. A. U., Race, returned hame today. --- Master Mechanic G. W. Mudd. of the

Wabash road, was in the city from Springfield today on business.

The Hullier Case.

John S. Campbell, assignee of Paul Huillier, has flied in the county court a petition asking that he be ordered to sell the stack of groceries. He stated that he had an offer of \$850 cash for the entire stock and Judge Hammer ordered the sale. The offer was made by Michael Nauley. The limbilities amount to \$3558.85. The stock and fixtures were estimated to be worth \$986.80 and the book accounts at \$1719.68. The camwherein Huilteir was required to give a statement of his property came up again this afternoon in the county court, but will probably be continued again.

At H. W. Bell's, N. L. Krone's and W. H. Hubbard's drug stores, a marvel-ous cure for all kidney complaints. nervous exhaustion and female weakness. It is Foley's Kidney Cure.

Scruggs, with his parens, left today for tons. Springfield, where the family will reside

NEW YORK, May 16.-The price o ers. last week made the sale of 8013 arres bread has advance done cent per loaf, the of land in Johnson, Massac and Pulaski result of the rise in the price in wheat. ocunties to Decatur parties.

SMALLPOX

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., May 16.-Dr Engen, secretary of the state board of health was notified this morning by the health commissioner of New York, the one case of smallpox was discovered among the passengers of the Victoria The passengers were destined for a half dozen points in Illinois-Chicago, Elgip Bloomington and other places. The authorities at all these place have been noti

Movement of Volunteers.

LINCOLN, NEB., May 16.-The let infantry left this morning on three trains

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SPRINGFIELD, ILL., May 16 .- The 2d regiment was mustered into the United Statés service this afternoon.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., May 16 .- Colonel Poster, commanding the 8th regi ment, has received orders to move immediately with his command to Washington, D. C. He will probably get away Wednesday morning.

CAUGHT IN A FIRE.

Fatalities at a Catholic School at St. Hyacinthe, Canada.

ST. HYACINTHE. QUEHEC. May 16.-The Materie St. Joseph barned this morolog and seven are known to be dead of the 206 in the institution and five missing. A number were injured by jumping from the windows. The dead are: Two boys named Bouachman, Sis ters Alexandrina, Allomena and Des Agnes, Mrs. S. Des Agnes, Miss Guertin, a boarder, Mrs. Dr. Chaguen of Fall River, Mass. The missing: Maria Milotte, Nofletto Mounir, servants; Mrs. Bertbinume, a hoarder; Sieters Bouyler

Enterprising Drugglets.

There are few men more wide awake and coterprising than J. E. King and C. F. Shilling, who spare no pains to secure the best of everything in their line for their many customers. They now have the valuable agency for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. This is the wonder ful remedy that is producing such furor all over the country by its many startling cures. It absolutely cures startling cures. It absolutely cures Astbma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all affections of the Throat, Cheet and Lungs. Call at above drug stores and get a trial bottle for 10c, or a regular size for 50 cents and \$1.00. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.

Attracted Attention.

The attention of the people passing on one of the main streets in the business portion of the city yesterday was attracted by a woman who was sitting in a boot black's chair on the sidewalk having her shoss shined. The young woman didn't seem to be at all emparrassed by the stares of those who passed.

Complain of Movers.

There is a party of movers camping two miles southwest of the city. The farmers the city visiting among relatives and living in the neighborhood complained to the sheriff today that the movers had been trespassing on their land and annoying them.

Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, May 14.-The weekly bank statement shows reserve increased \$3,000,000, loans increased \$3,500,000; specia increased \$3,600,000; deposits increased \$7,000,000. The banks hold \$47, 000,000 in excess of legal requirements.

For Father Macken. High mass was given at the St. Pat-

rick's church this morning at 8 o'clock for the repose of the soul of Father Macken, by the school children. The services were conducted by Father Births.

To Mr. and Mrs. Otto Reynolds on Saturday evening. May 14, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bunge on Sunday, May 8, a son.

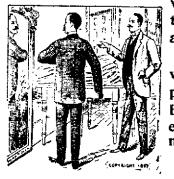
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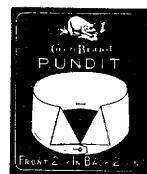
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To-Day's Receipts--Car Lots.

Wheat—360; Estimated, 360; a year ago, 7

Corn-774: Estimated, 810; a year ago, 91

Hogs. Hog receipts, 45,000. Estimated, 46,000.

BRV7 \$4.55-244.60; Bough, \$4.15-254.30.

Cattle receipts, 16,000; market steady.

Estimated for tomorrow, 28,000.

Market strong. Light, \$4.05@\$4.35; Mixed \$4.90@\$4.56;

C. E. Reception.

deavor society of the Cumberland Presby-

-337; Estimated, 430; a year ago, 178.

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MARKETS, REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

FURNISHED BY B. Z. TAYLOR. The Republicans of the several townships in CHICAGO, In., May 16. to attend the county convention to be held at one est. best ing. t'day the court house in Decatur, Ill., on MONDAY, JUNE 13, 1893, at 11 o'clock a, m. All districts and townships will select said delegates on Sat-145 150 106 109% 89% 91% urday, the 11th day of June, 1803. Said convention is called for the purpose of 36% 87 87 % selecting sixteen delegates to each of the fo

To the State Convention, to be hold in Spring field on the 14th day of June, 1398. To the Congressinal Convention, to be held in

Springfield on the 29th day of June 1808 To the Senatorial Convention, to be hereafter 6.70 6.87% 6.70 6.80 6.47% called, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said county convention.

The representation in said convention will be based upon the Republican vote cast for Presidential electors in 1896, being one delegate for every fifty or fraction of twenty five votes or

Each district or township will be entitled to the following delegates: Decatur— 1st District...

The young people of the Christian Ennew lecture room of the church on Friday evening. A musical and literary program will be given.

SHERIFF'S SALE

A cube of cast iron one inch each way will be crushed under a pressure of 96 tous.

EXECUTBLY NOTICE.

Satate of Mary A. Goodman, deceased. The undersigned having been appointed executors of the estate of Mary A. Goodman, late of the country. It inches, in factor, and state of Illinois, deceased, thereby give notice that they will appear before the country. It inches, in factor one Frank to Macon, and state of Illinois, deceased, thereby give notice that they will appear before the country for Macon country, at the country court of Macon country, at the country country of Macon country, at the country of Macon country, in the following described property in the country of Macon country, in Macon country, in

FOR BALE—Real Estate Builetin of George I Lower. For Sale—155 by 167% feet, corner of West Decatur and South Blegel streets, only a few blocks out; desirable and beautiful for resi dences. N. B. Between the time you read this and Thursday, 19th hast., a octock p. m. go and examine this tract of ground and then advise me in person or by letter what you consider it worth to you in spot cash. \$1000 to \$2000 profit in this for the purchaser. Please be considerate and don't all come at once. Wanted—Man with \$5000 to \$000 to lovest in paying business; will incorporate. Office man preferred Money secured. To Loan—21,000 on reasonable torms. Other properties and farms for sale and exchangecome and see about these. Write fire insurance in best companies, and loan money, rout houses and collect rents. At vise me what you want. (George Lower, room 3, library block, 120 East William street,—16 die* FOR SALE-Real Estate Bulletin of George

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Left for Philadelphia, Engineer C. A. Daigh, who has been in Gone to Springfield.

Peal Estate Deal.

Brown & Jeffres, the real estate deal

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DEAR SIR:—I wish to bear testimony to the great efficacy of your "Four C" remedy in throat and tung aliments. As a rule I have been skepticle of the merits of proprietary medicines, but have to condens that a test of your "Four C" is convincing that all east one ready made remedy is worthy of use. My children all take it with out the least objection, from oldest to yourgest, and is particularly noticeable that benefit is almost simediste. A single dese will check most coughs in their beginning; it gives an unbroken reast at right. In my family "Four C" is simply indispensable and I recommend it unqualifiedly.

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A MIRACLE.

h. Assa City, Kansan, Dec. 21, '91, Clast Friday. Dec. 19 my stiending physician stated that unless I was better by morning he could do nothing for my reifer. That night I commenced taking Phajis "Four.C" Remedit, stopped all other medicines. The first dose stopped my county siept and reted well; a few more doses removed all coresess from my lungs; the second day I was up; the third day I was out an the porch and today was up town purchasing holiday goods.

Kies Jennie Bassett.

ACUTE LARNYCHTIS.

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With scute larnygitis. Last winter was so base to could not leave my room for two weeks o could not speak above a whisper. I tried ever known cough preparation from cough drops u and down with mo relief, than in desperation, was induced to try Photper "Four C." The first does relieved my cough, giving me the first night's rest for weeks. Half the bottle curse me. I have never been without this wonderfur remady since. It's as different from other like remedies as molasses from vinegar or sugar from sand.

Mas. Joseph E. Grones.

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One dose of Phetpe' Cough, Cold and Croup Cure, gave usy child instant relief when attacked with the croup.

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NOW IN A QUANDARY.

The Unfortunate Predicament of a Chicago Youth Whose Foresight

There is a certain Chicago young man, among a number of other Chicago young men, who is not under the painful necessity of working. He has taken his leisure about completing his education, and has contemplated the future without any feelings of dread. For this bicssed state of things he is inbe "rolling in money." A short time ago he decided to take a sort of tour of inspection east. Little effort was required to get his aunt's consent to the project, but before she let him go she gave him most positive injunctions to write to ber every day. This he promised her, with a great deal of inward

elarm at the magnitude of the contract. After retiring to his apartments he came to the conclusion that he was doomed to one of two things, for he hated letter writing. He would make his trip a burden instead of a pleasure if he wrote, or earn his aunt's ill will if Le didn't. Placed between these two horns, he evolved a plan. He sat down and wrote a dozen different letters dated from the principal cities he intended to visit. When he had this done he scribbled off envelopes to match.

Then he sealed the inclosures and his mind was at rest.

A valet accompanied him on his trip. The first stop he made he got into an altercation with this individual, discharged him and hired another. The newcomer was most anxious to please He busied himself vastly setting the young man's apartments to rights, and did everything else that a valet bent upon making himself indispensable should do.

"Ab," said the young man, as he came the first afternoon of the valet's engagement, "I see you know just wha to do. You're placed everything to the queen's toste." A moment later he

"I had a pile of letters addressed to my aunt on this table. Where did you

to that all right."
"You what?" gasped the young

"Why, I mailed 'em, of course," re-

turned his attendant. Now the young man doesn't know

whether he better go home or to the Klondike.—Chicago Tribune.

FANCIES OF FASHION. Odds and Ends of Information About

the Latest in Ladies' Dress.

The bang is coming into favor once more in the dressing of hair. It is a small affair now, but promises to have a larger and greater future.

With the new spring jacket which flares and shows the vest lace-edged batiste ruffies should be worn.

London fashion says that women will wear small hats turned up at the left elde with high trimming this summer.

Cycling skirts will be worn longer than they have been hitherto, eight or ten inches from the ground being about the general rule in the costumes now

Summer fabrics will be trimmed large ly with lace, and some skirt waists will have many jabots and full flounces.

A beautiful spring gown noted in one the stores is a biscuit-colored silk. the skirt being trimmed to the waistband with narrow ruffles and bound with apple-green silk. The waist has a tight-fitting lace front over apple green, and is fastened at the side with small green bows.

A tailor-made cape should have no flouncing, but looks exceedingly well when trimmed with raw-edged strips. These should show four rows of stitch ing and follow the shape of the garment.

A white Japanese weave of pongee silk, which is washable, is in favor for ight spring costumes. Trimmed wit rows of narrow ribbon velvet, small white pearl buttons and cream lace, the

effect is lovely. A costume of tan-and-white wool ren is made with a blouse that has a fitted hack and a vest of white faille. At the waist line the vest is printed, but above it is embroidered in white, red, blue and gold. The standing collar is like the vest, and on either side the blouse is turned back in three crushed plaits

caught by straps which are edged with bands of tan faille. A popular trimming for cloth gowns is white faille, covered with applique iace. This is used for vests, revers and

panels.—N. Y. Tribunc. Strawberry Sponge Cake.

Beat the yolks of six eggs with half a cound of powdered sugar until very light, then fold in carefully the wellbeaten whites of six eggs, and add slowly a cupful and a half of sifted pastry flour. Bake in three layers. While this is baking, boil together one cupful of sugar and a quarter of a cupful of water until it spins a thread. Pour the syrup while hot over the well-beaten whites of two eggs, and beat until stiff and cold. When the cakes are cold put one on your serving dish, cover over with a thick layer of this filling, then cover thickly with strawberries, then another cake, more of the filling, more strawberries, and at last the upper cake. Put a thinner layer of the oft filling and cover thickly with very arge berries .- Mrs. S. T. Rorer, in Ladies' Home Journal.

Capon Jelly.

Good for convalescents: One leg of apon, one slice of salt pork, one dash of cepper. Place all in a stewpan with a quart of water and boil slowly all day. An hour before taking off take out the bone of the leg and crack well. Set all in a cool place over night. Skim off fat, strain, reheat, pour into a mold and serve like a jelly.—Cincinnati EnAMERICA'S LATERT POWER.

Why the Nation is So Quickly Read; for War-Auxillaries to the Navy.

The quickness and inventiveness of American mechanics, engineers and manufacturers have no parallel in Eu ope. On a year's notice the United States might undertake to cope even handed either with the dual or triple alliance—although we have now only the nucleus of an army and the begin debted to an aunt, who is reported to ning of a navy, while the European powers have made war preparations their principal business for a whole generation. It is to be suspected that one reason why the American people have bought the newspapers agerly of late is to be found in the satisfaction they take in learning how a strictly peaceful nation like ours could if necessary reverse the process of beating swords in plowshares. It is true, for example, that we have built only a few torpedo boats and only a few vessels of the type known as de-stroyers, but we have discovered that about a hundred very rich Americans had had been amusing themselves within the past few years by building or buying splendid ocean-going, steel-built steam yachts of high speed and stanch qualities, capable of being quickly trans-formed into naval dispatch boats or armored and fitted with torpedo tubes. Probably not a single private Spanish citizen could turn over to his government such a vessel as the magnificent Goelet yacht, the Mayflower, which was secured by our navy department on March 16, not to mention scores of other private steam yachts of greater size and strength that wealthy American citizens are ready to offer if needed .-Review of Reviews.

LITERATURE OF CHILDHOOD.

A Mother's Note-Book Can Be Made True Romance of Human Nature for the Little Ones.

It is chiefly for her own instruction and guidance that a mother needs to keep some kind of nursery note-book put them?"

"O," replied the valet, highly clated in being in such good favor, "I attended the reawakening of dulled sympathy with childish moods, as well as for the with childish moods, as well as for the enlightenment of others to whom she may choose to impart her experiences the results of her labor will more than repay her for the trouble taken. She need follow no rules, nor even attempt to make regular entries, unless she has inclination for the task. Facts bearing upon physical variations are extremely valuable, and it is wise to note the weight and growth of a child at regular intervals, to ascertain whether he is developing normally. Even more Important are observations upon his general health, temperament, disposition and the use he makes of his faculties. Although the mother herself may not be aware of the standard he should attain, her statement of facts may give the clew to a physician when puzzling symptoms show themselves. Often deafness and defects of vision might be prevented if the early signs of coming on had been heeded. A single incident in a person's life may give the keynote of his character. — Florence Hull Winterburn, in Woman's Home Companion.

To Clean Gold Picture Frames. Beat the white of an egg; add to it one pint of cold water; moisten your

frames with this mixture, using a sponge. Then wipe them with a soft flannel. Take a second cloth, perfectly dry, and give the frames a light rubbing.-Ladies' Home Journal.

Test of Colors.

If you want to test which is the

stipation and all stomach and liver Mr. Stoy presented the following resolution roubles, H. W.Bell,

S. F. Furbes, a U.of I. senior, has gone to Sasttle enroute to Klondike.

It is a great leap from the old-fash-oned doses of blue-mass and naureous physics to the pleasant little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They cure constipation, sick headache and biliousness. H. W. Bell.

The new postmaster, S. L. Wallace, will take possession of the Lincoln postoffice about June 1.

Children like it, it saves their lives. We mean One Minute Cough Cure, the infallible remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, and all throat and lung troubles. H. W. Beli.

The American navy has practically all been built since 1888.

The farmer, the mecnanic and the bicycle rider are liable to unexpected cuts and bruises. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best thing to keep on hand. It heals quickly, and is a well knowncure for piles. H. W. Bell.

Dr. J. W. Van Zant has bought the Green property at Adams and Chestaut street, Peoria, for \$15,000, and will improve it.

A little boy saked for a bottle of "get up in the morning as fast as you can," the druggist recognized a household name for "DeWitt's Little Early Risers," and gave him a bottle of those famous little pills for constipation, liver and stomach troubles. H. W. Bell.

. Tien Tsin and other Chinese cities have ne light at night except such as comes from private houses.

M. L. Yocum, Cameron, Pa., says: "I was a sufferer for ten years, trying most all kinds of pile remedies, but without success. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve all kinds of pile remedies, but without success. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve was recommended to me. I used one box. It has effected a permanent cure," as a permanent cure for piles DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has no equal. H

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The Board of Supervisors of Macon county met at the court house in the city of Decatur on the 21st day of April, A. D. 1896, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. pursuant to the following call:

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Decastur, I.i., April 12, 1888.
J. M. Dodd, County Cierk:
Sir—You will please call a special meeting of
the Board of Supervisors of Macon County to
convene April 21st, 1898, at 1.80 o'ctock p. m. for
the purpose of organizing the Board and to consider such other business as may properly come
before the Board. O R Gorin, John H Miller,
Fred W Kipp J E Rucker, W H Spance, Jacob
Lebo, Geo W Stoy, JR Record, O H Draper,
John Allen, Jacob Hanes, Wm H Bean. The Board was called to order by the county

On motion of Mr Bean Mr Ailen was chosen emporary chairman. emporary chairman.

On motion of Mr Record the chairman appointed a committee of three on credentials, Supervisors Draper, Miller and Kipp were

The committee made the following report which was approved on motion of Mr Miller: Mr Chairman and gentlemen of the Board of Supervisors:—

Your committee on credesitials beg leave to re-port that we have examined the credentials of the following named Supervisors and recom-mend that they be admitted as members of the

From Austin... ZB Woote
Blue Mound Clas W Steele
Becatur Jacob Hane
James Heillinge
W J Mage JE Rucker
John J Graves
M A Nickey
Wm Bean

The Board next proceeded to elect a perma-cent chairman.

Mr Stoy nominated Mr Orr. Mr. Miller nominated Mr Rest

Mr Hockaday moved the vote be by ballot and that the first ballot be informat. Motion pre-The chair appointed Supervisors Gorin, unker and Spence as tellers. The result was as ollows: Informal—Orr, 16; Best, 9; total, 25.

Mr Orr having received the majority of the votes cast was declared the chairman for the nsuing year.

ensuing year.

All members being present the Board proceeded to business in the regular order.

A communication was received from W C Burley, steward county farm.

On motion of Mr Spence, Mr Magee, the committee of one on the poor farm, was instructed, enter into such contract as would be fair to Macon county with Mr. Burris in building a fence between the county farm and the Burris farm.

A polition was received from the commissioners of Highways of Long Greek township asking for county aid in building two new bridges in said township, and on motion of Mr Alten the chair appointed Supervitors Hanes, Riber and Record as a committee to confer with the commissioners of Long Greek township.

Supervisor Guin presented his reviewation of

missioners of Long Greek township.

Supervisor Gorin presented his resignation as overseer of the poor of Decatur township which was accepted on motion of Mr Allen.

On motion of Mr Allen the chair appointed a committee of three composed of Supervisors Stoy. Magee and Best to recommend to the Board the sainty of the overseer of the poor of Decatur township for the ensuing year.

The committee made the following repor which was approved on motion of Mr Spence.

To the chairman and Board of Supervisors: Your committee on salary of overseer of poor would respectfully recommend that the salary of fixed at \$720 per year.

Geo W Stoy,

An application for re-election as overser of poor was received from J S McClelland and on motion of Mr Bean the election of Mr McClelland was made by acclamation.

On motion of Mr. Spence the cierk was in-tructed todraw an order for \$84.67 in favor of locatur township in payment of one-third the easts of 16 booths and 20 curtains and rods.

Mr Kipp moved that bids be received before the next meeting of the Roard for hoods for radiators in the court house. Motion prevailed. On motion of Mr Tuckor the clerk was instructed to draw orders for the ensuing year for per diem and mileage of members of the Board and for the transportation of paupers upon presentation of orders from the several overseers of the several townships.

On motion of Mr Bean the rules of the Board or the pastyear were adopted for the ensuing rear except as to Rule 5, which was amended to

put both hands in the sun, one covered by a white, the other by a black chiffon net, and note the result.—Saa Trancisco Chanicle

A torpid liver robs you of ambition and ruins your health. DeWitt's Little Early Risers cleanse the liver, cure constipation and all stomach and liver rouse.

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and moved its adoption. Same was adopted.

Wifereas, The United States and Spain are about to engage in war for the liberation of Cuba, be it.

Resolved, that Macon county will furnish it full quota of troops to drive the murdering. Spanlards from the land.

That this government has no military honors to good to bestow on our galant Council General of Cuba, Firmugh Lee.

That the janitor of this building is instructed for unu put he American flag over the court house with the Cuban flag underneath.

That the flags shall remain in place until the last murdering Spanlard is dead or driven from the American Coulment.

Geo W Stoy.

On motion of Mr. Stoy the chairman of the

the American Continent. Geo W Stoy.

On motion of Mr Stoy the chairman of the purchasting committee was instructed to buy a Cuban flag to run up over the court house.

On motion of Mr Spence the clerk was instructed to draw an order infavor of J. R. Rhrhartfor 60 the same to apply on his contract with the county.

On motion of Mr Nickey the clerk was instructed to have the Rules and Orders of the Board for the enging year printed when the committees are made by the chairman and to mails copy of same to each member of the Roard.

Board.
On motion of Mr. Bean the Board adjourned until the second Tuesday in June at 1,30 p. m.
J. M. DODD, Cierk.

To Consumptives,

As an honest remedy, Foley's Honey and Tar does not hold out false hopes in advanced stages, but truthfully claims to give comfort and relief in the very worst cases, and in the early stages to effect a cure. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. Hubbard.

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REVENCE AT PIZEN GULCH. of an Old Man Whose Hear

Was Black With Hatred

for the Indian.

"The man who said that the only good Indian was a dead Indian was about as near right as men get," said Col Ham Sloggett, of Arizona, the other evening, as he wrestled with a mini mash, and if any man oughter know what he's talking erbout in them mat ters I guess it's me. I went to Arizony a mighty long time ago. Them blamed Apaches wuz erbout as onery as eny sort of Indians, and not a day passed but what we fellers down to Pizen guich heard erbout men losing their scalps and women and children being butch ered like forty, the news coming from way out on the frontier.

"I wuz sorter getting a grip on Arizony jess theu, an' I didn't want to lose it, so I jess stayed away from the line an' 'tended ter business with one eve open. We had ter get out and hustle. however. Indians wur getting more rampageous every day, and finally s band of the measly, murdering robbers rid inter a small settlement erbout 50 miles from the gulch and killed every soul thar, not leaving one to tell the tale. This riled the boys at the gulch and we thought the time had come to de something. Two hours after we got the news we witz out for biz. We rode away, an' an hour afore sundown we reached the place whar that settlement had been. Well, sir, I've seen many odd sights in my life, but that little settle-ment was erbout the saddest that ever met these old eyes-not so old then neith**er.**

"Ashes showed whar some cabins had stood, and thar, too, could be seen what remained of home things, an' jess or the outskirts of the settlement we found the bodies of folk what had formed the peaceful village.
"Men, women and children alike had

gone to satisfy the awful greed for blood. They had been dragged together and their bodies, there-must have been about 20 of them, were piled in a terrible heap, mutilated and horrible to look et. The saddest sight of it all was the form of a little baby. The small critter wuz lying on the breast of a wom-an, maybe its mother, and its little fists waz fastened in the long hair that was all tangled and flowing like. At first I chought it wuz sleeping, but it wuzn't. It wuz dead, and a little round black hole in the middle of its forehead showed where the bullet had done its work. That it wuz, a monument of Indan ferocity, an' the poor little limbs of the baby wuz cuddled up an' its white face wuz smilin' just as though death had caught it while it wuz lookin' right into its mother's eyes. The sight of that little one thar, naked to the skies, made the grim look on the faces of the boys jess kinder deepen like, un-til they seemed desperate and deadly We left the place without a word, but when we crept up on the band what did the work we paid them back to the death, even if it wuz two weeks later. Them wuz bad days, I tell you."-Mex-Ico Two Republics.

MIRRORED IN VERSE.

How Some of the Great Poets Refice the Tendencies of Their Times.

In his series of comparative readings in the college hall of Westminster abby recently Stephen Phillips proceeded to illustrate Tennyson as the poet of his own age and time. Some critics, he observed, considered that the chief function of the poet was to mirror the characteristics of the time in which he lived, but he himself did not hold so extreme a view, pointing out that Kents, for instance, lived entirely apart from almost all the tendencies of his day Much, however, of Tennyson's success was due to the fact that he mirrored the chief tendencies and thoughts of the

The first illustration of this idea was given in a selection from the "Prin-Cos," in which the poet picturesquely alt with the question of the higher education and emancipation of women, which was agitating the minds of men at the period in which he wrote "Locksley Hall" was next given as an instance of the effective manner in which Tennyson voiced the thought of the day in regard to the advance of Filture, this poem being written, as the reader remarked, at a time when science had practically only begun and when there was much speculation as to the

time in which he lived.

Possibilities of future discovery. Then there was the fear that science should end in extinguishing the old faith and religion of the country; and it was of this conflict between religion and science-which the reader thought was much more apparent than realthat Tennyson was thinking when in his famous poem "In Memoriam" he penned the lines beginning: "Be near me when my light is low." Still an-other tendency of Tennyson's time was the feeling among churchmen that they should give more thought to the wants of the poor, and in illustration of this Mr. Phillips quoted "The Invitation to F. B. Morris."

Finally the reader reminded his audience that Tennyson's time saw the beginning of the recovery from the reaction produced by the French revolution, and he quoted two short poems in which the poet dealt with the new English idea of freedom as "broadening down from precedent to precedent." Turn-ing to Wordsworth, he pointed out that this poet had started with the most convinced hope in the French revolution. and that when the movement led to extesses there seemed nothing left for tim. Wordsworth, however, found two tources of consolation in nature and auty, and hence his "Ode to Duty."-London Chronicle.

Her Opinion. Jack-Do you think that stealing a kiss is grand larceny? Free Yes; the grandest I know of .-

N. Y. Journal. MANAGENER HREITVE SCOT

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Tale of an Old Man Whose Heavy Was Black With Hatred for the Indian.

"The man who said that the only good Indian was a dead Indian was about Ren Suggett, of Arizona, the other even re, as he wrestled with a mini shat he's talking erbout in them matters I guess it's me. I went to Arizony B It sky long time ago. Them blamed soft of Indians, and not a day passed but w. at we fellers down to Pizen guich beard erbout men losing their scalps and women and children being butchered like forty, the news coming from

way out on the frontier. "I was sorter getting a grip on Ari-It, so I jess stayed away from the line an' hended ter business with one eye Claim. We had ter get out and hustle. however, Indians wuz getting more rampageous every day, and finally e band of the measly, murdering robbers rid arer a small settlement erbout 56 miles from the gulch and killed every soul thar, not leaving one to tell the tale. This riled the boys at the gulch and we thought the time had come to de some thing. Two hours after we got the news we wuz out for biz. We rode away, an' an hour afore sundown we marked the place whar that settlement had been. Well, sir, I've seen many odd sights in my life, but that little settlement was erbout the saddest that ever met these old eyes-not so old then neither.

"Ache" showed whar some cabins had stood, and thar, too, could be seen what remained of home things, an' jess on the outskirts of the settlement we found the hodies of folk what had formed the peaceful village,

"Men, women and children alike had gone to satisfy the awful greed for blood. They had been dragged together and their bodies, there-must have been about 20 of them, were piled in a terri-ble heap, mutilated and horrible to look at. The saddest sight of it all was the form of a little baby. The small critter waz lying on the breast of a woman, maybe its mother, and its little fist- war fastened in the long hair that was all tangled and flowing like. At first I thought it wuz sleeping, but it waza't. It wuz dead, and a little round black hole in the middle of its forehead showed where the bullet had done its work Thar it wuz, a monument of Indan ferocity, an' the poor little limbs of the buby wuz enddled up an' its white face wuz smilin' just-as though death had caught it while it wuz lookin' right into its mother's eyes. The sight of that little one thar, naked to the sirs, made the grim look on the faces of the boys jess kinder deepen like, un-til they seemed desperate and deadly We left the place without a word, but when we crapt up on the band what did the work we paid them back to the death, even if it wuz two weeks later. There waz bad days, I tell you."--Mexleo Two Republics.

MIRRORED IN VERSE.

Bow Some of the Great Poets Reflect the Tendencies of Their Times,

In his series of comparative readings in the college hall of Westminster abby recently Stephen Phillips proceeded to illustrate Tennyson as the poet of his own age and time. Some critics, he observed, considered that the chief function of the poet was to mirror the characteristics of the time in which he lived, but he himself did not hold so extreme a view, pointing out that Keats, for instance, lived entirely apart from almost all the tendencies of his day. Much, however, of Tennyson's success was due to the fact that he mirrored the chief tendencies and thoughts of the

time it, which he lived. dealt with the question of the higher rducation and emancipation of women, whah was agitating the minds of men at the period in which he wrote. "Lock-ley Hall" was next given as an hatcher of the effective manner in which Tennyson voiced the thought of the day in regard to the advance of Peterica, this poem being written, as the realerremarked, at a time when science had practically only begun and when

there was much speculation as to the Possiblities of future discovery. Then there was the fear that science should end in extinguishing the old faith and religion of the country; and it was of this conflict between religion and science-which the reader thought was much more apparent than realthat Transson was thinking when in his famous poem "In Memoriam" he ha, ha, know the way!" he was gone with the me when my light is low." Still another tendency of Tennyson's time was the feeling among churchmen that they should give more thought to the wants of the poor, and in illustration of this

Mr. Philips quoted "The Invitation to F. B. Morris, Tually the reader reminded his audierce that Tennyson's time saw the beground of the recovery from the reaction produced by the French revolution and he quoted two short poems in which the post dealt with the new English idea of freedom as "broadening down from precedent to precedent." ing to Wordsworth, he pointed out that this poet had started with the most contine hope in the French revolution, and that when the movement led to exsees there seemed nothing left for tim. Hardsworth, however, found two sources of consolation in nature and luty, and hence his "Ode to Duty."—

Lendon Chronicle. Her Opinion. Jack-Do you think that stealing o kies is grand lerceny? Yes; the grandest I know of.-

K. Y. Journal.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

Parchment on the best banjos is made of wolfskin.

Fire-proof paper bricks are coming nto use for building purposes. They are made with a hollow center to insure uniformity in hardness, and the holas near right as men get," said Col low is afterward filled with cement.

In tea there is an essential oil which is an active poison. So well known are man and if any man oughter know its deleterious effects that the natives of China do not use tea until the leaves are a year old. The excessive use of tea causes stomach derangements, pal-Appe her wuz erbout as onery as eny pitation of the heart, nervousness and irritability.

The firemen of Berlin wear rubber jackets which are so made as to hold water between the inner and outer skins. When it is necessary to go close to the flames of a burning house the jacket is filled with water from the hose, and a pressure on the jacket forces the water out at the collar, which, flowing down the outside, affords protection to the wearer. Charles H. Criss tendered a one-dollar

bill to the landlord of Holey's hotel in West Orange, N. J., in payment of a lesser amount. Just as he placed the bill on the counter a pet monkey grabbed it and tore off and ate half of An affidavit to this effect, with the preserved fragment of the bill was on its way to the treasurer of the United States next day.

A New Yorker was arrested on street car, charged with picking a lady's pocket. At the station house he was searched, but as the lady's purse was not found upon him he was discharged, The next morning the policeman who had arrested him discovered the purse in his own coat pocket, where the culprit had evidently placed it when on his way to the police station.

A large eagle swooped down upon goose in Bedford, Pa., and was bearing it away, when Mrs. William Robinson, the owner of the eagle's intended victim, rushed to the rescue, club in hand. For five minutes there was a fight between the eagle and Mrs. Robinson. whose face, hands and dress were torn by the bird's taions. At last the eagle succumbed to a knock-out blow of the club.

A funeral procession halted before a public house in Sydney, Australia, before which was a bulletin containing the score of a cricket match then in progress. The four occupants got out of the first carriage, read the score, returned to the vehicle, and the process Sion resumed its course after one of the men had shouted the score to the next coachman. Thus was the news pro-claimed all through the line.

COALS OF FIRE.

A Suitor Rejected Once with Scathing Scorn Returns Well Able to Glost.

The natty young man looked at the aged banker. "I'm afraid you do not remember me

"I'm afraid you do not remember me," he said, with a smile.

The banker aquirmed uneasily. Old recollections were tugging at his memorated on leaving it at members and some papers. Finder will be suitably revenue to the said on leaving it at members or y atrings.

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"I am sorry to say that I do not fully recall you," he hesitatingly replied. "Let me refresh your memory," said the young man. On the seventh day of street. Apply to JOHN A. BROWN, Powers that, doorway and down the outside Block.

that doorway and down the cutside stairs." The aged banker turned pale.

"I-I remamber," he stammered. "Yes," said the young man, "I thought you would recall it. I had asked you for your daughter's hand You harshly repulsed me. You called me a designing pauper. You jumper en me and flung me out. Do you re

member those pleasant details?" "Yes, yes," grouned the banker, as he looked at the card the youth had just handed him.

"Of course you do," said the young man. "You are not as senile as you The first illustration of this idea was look. I see you recognize the name on given in a selection from the "Prin- the card. You know it is that of the ees." in which the poet picturesquely smartest operator on the street. Yes, sir, the pauper target for your boot is now a treble millionaire. In this valise I have securities to the value of \$400,-000. By the way, is the rumor tru that your bank is toppling?"

"It is too true," grouned the banker. "And would \$400,000 help you—"

"Yes, yes," cried the aged man. "And how is your lovely daughter? "She is well," shouted the banker. "And unmarried?"

"Still unmarried," shrieked the old "Then." said the youth, as he calmly picked up his handbag, "give her my compliments and tell her to expect cards of invitation for my approaching marriage with the Harlem heiress, Miss Van Damm. That's all, old boy. Good-

He was gone with the handbag, and the banker fell back on the velvet fauteuil and cursed his unfortunate quickness of foot.-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

day. No. you needn't show me out-I

Don't.

Don't worry because you have nothing to worry about. Don't do things to-day so you'll have to do them over to-morrow.

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Don't think the umbrella that goes to the pawnshop is the only one that gets

Don't pay a widow compliments unless you are matrimonially inclined and willing to pay her bills. Don't interrupt a miser at his devo-

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By virtue of an execution to me directed and
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have levied upon the following described property, to wit: Lots seven (7), eight (8), nine (9)
and ten (10), in block afteen (15), in the recorried Plat of the Town of Marous, also Lots
twenty (20), twenty-one (21) and twenty-four (24)
in block twenty-four (24), in Walters' Addition
to the Town of Marous, in Macon county, state
of Illinois. Taken as the property of the said
Jacob J. Leach, which I shall offer at public
sale at the north door of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the
27th day of May, A. D. 1898, at 10 ofetock a. m.
of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

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This 7th day of May, A. D. 1898.
J. P. NICHOLSON,
7-did Sheriff Macon County, Hilin

SHERIFF'S SALE,

By virtue of an execution to me directed diversed by the circuit court of delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of W. H. Elwond and against Join E. Baum and Josie S. Baum, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot six (6) of Wait's Resurvey of Lots six (6), seven (7) and ten (10,) in the resurvey of lots two (2,) three (3) and four (4) of block three (3) of Adamson & Frather's Addition to the Town, now the City of Decatur, in Macon county, State of Illinois, Taken as the property of John E. Baum, Josie S. Baum, which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 23d day of May, A. D. 1888, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said execution.

This 3d day of May, A. D. 1896.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

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The undersigned hereby cives notice that Paul Hulliler, of the City of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, did, on the 21st day of April, A. D. 1898, transfer to the undersigned all of his property for the benefit of his creditors, except such as is allowed him under the exemption laws of the State of Illinois, according to the provisions of an act concerning voluntary assignments.

All persons having cusims against the said Paul Hullier as aforesaid, are bareby notified to present the same, under oath or affirmation, to the undersigned at the City of Decatur, within three months from the date hereof.

Dated this 2nd day of April, A. D. 1898.

Alexander McIntosh, Attorsey.

JOHN S. UAMPBELL, Assignee.



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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, AMACON COUNTY, Illinois.

MACON COUNTY, | MACON COUNTY, Illinots. |
In the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinots. |
Henricita Bucker, John L. Rucker, Emma E. Myers, James H. Myers, James B. Spaagier, Alpha Spargier, Lois A. Camp, Heber Camp, Florence G. Baker, Compainants, Vs. Ann E. Lichtenberger, Courad H. Lichtenberger, John Stumpff, Bandel S. Stumpff, Bandel James L. Nesbit, deceased, and Mary Wetzel. Deford ants—Bill in Partition, No. 16708; May Term, 1898—In Chancery, Affidavit of the boncresidence of the above named defendants, Daniel Spangler and James L. Nesbit, deceased, the unknown belirs at law, legatees or devisees of the said James L. Nesbit, or life be deceased, the unknown belirs at law, legatees of devisees of the said James L. Nesbit, deceased, the unknown belirs at law, legatees of devisees of the said James L. Nesbit, deceased, the unknown belirs at law, legatees of devisees of the said defendants returnable to the scannely side thereof, on the 23rd day of March. A. D. 1898, and that summons thereupon issued out of the office of the clerk of the said court against the said defendants returnable to the second Monday of May, A. D. 1898, as is by law required. Now unless you, the said Dandel Spangler and James L. Nesbit, deceased, and each of you shall be and an appear the force the said and each of you shall be and an appear the force the said and each of you shall be and an appear the force the said and each of your shall be and an appear the force the said and each of your shall be and an appear the force the said and each of your shall be and an appear the force the said said each of your shall be and an appear the force the said said each o James L. Nesbit, or if he bu deceased, the unknown heirs at law, legatees or devicees of the
said James L. Nesbit, deceased, and each of you,
shall be and appear before the said Circuit Court
of Macon County, lilinois, on the first day of the
next term thereof, to be holden at the court
house in the City of Decatur, in and county, on
the second Monday of May A. D. 1888, and plead
answer or demur to the said complainents bill
of complaint and the matters and things therein
charged and set forth the same shall be taken as
confessed against you, and a decree entered
against you in secondance with the prayer of
said bill.
Dated this 2nd day of April, A. D. 1885.

D. L. Foster, Circuit Cierk,
Leforgee & Lee, Solicitors for Complainants.

Administrator's Notice. STATE OF ILLINOIS,

montary, who even usy on may, lose, at 2 o'clock p.m. of sale day, at the north door of the court house on East Wood street, in the City of Decatur, in said county, offer for sale at miblic vendue to the highest and best bidder, the real estate in said decree ordered to be sold, the real estate in said decree ordered to be sold.

the real estate in said decree ordered to be sold, being described as follows, to wil:

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Dated April 30, 1898.

JOSIAH M. CLOKEY.

Administrator of the estate of Mary F. Gordanier, deceased.

Administrator's Notice.

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Ratate of Abraham Seelig, Decaased.
The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Abraham Seelig, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county count of Macon county, at the court house in Decadur, at the June term, on the first Monday in June next, at which time all persons having chaims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 18th day of April, 1889.

April 19-d3w

Administrator.

Administrator's Notice. Estate of John Millhon, Deceased.

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The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of John Milhon late of the county of Macon, and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decaur, at the June term, on the first Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 16th day of April, 1888.

W. H. STARR, Administrator,

Apr 18-d3w

and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 20th day of April, 1898.

HARRIET A. GOODMAN,

ADA CAPITOLA GOODMAN,

April 20-63W

<u>April 20-daw</u>

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. EXECUTUR'S NOTICE.

Estate of James C. Lake, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed seculors of the estate of James C. Lake, late of the county of Macon, and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that they will appear before the county eour of Macon county, at the court homes in Decatur, at the July serm, on the first Monday in July next, at the July serm, on the first Monday in July next, at which time all persons having custms against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 29th day of April, 1808.

LUCIEN L. BUREOWS,

April 28-d5w

HOMESEEKERS **EXCURSIONS** at the low rate of

VIA THE Illinois Central R. R.

ONE PARE Round Trip PLUS \$2.00

Homeseckers' Excursions to central
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and points north.

Tickets at the above rates on sale only on lakes quoted. For further particulars apply to our bous iteest agent, or address A. H. Han-ten, General Passonger Agent, Hilsools Central Estimos, Others.

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Vandella Line.

Indiana, Decatur & Western Ry Co.

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Illinois Central. Corrected to May 1, 1898. No. 118 to Chicago via Cinton & Gilman...

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No. 104 Main Line North...

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No. 117 Diamond Special to St. Louis

WABASH EXCUPSIONS. The Wabash Railroad will rell excursion by he is at greatly reduced rates to the following

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Warsaw, Ind., account Winona Lake Assembly. Very low round trip rates daily from May 15 fill August 31. Tickets good returning for 15 days.

I., D. & W. Railway Excursions. The L. D. & W. railroad will sell excursion tickets at greatly reduced rates to the following meetings:

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MACON COUNTY, 1889.
In the County Court of the January Term, A. D., 1889.
Josiah M. Clokey, Administrator of the eather of Mary F. Hardwarer decreased of Lawrence Surveys Bunday.

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In the County Court of the January Term, A. D.

Josiah M. Clokey, Administrator of the estate of Mary F. Gordanier, Actual E. Gordanier and The People's Savings and Loan Association—Petition to sell real estate to pay debts.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the county court of Mason county, of the State of Illinois, entered in the above entitled cause, at the January term, A. D. 1888, of the said county court, i. Josiah M. Clokey, administrator of the estate of Mary F. Gordanier, deceased, will on Illinois, chiered in the Borney of the State of Illinois, entered in the Above entitled cause, at the January term, A. D. 1888, of the said county court, i. Josiah M. Clokey, administrator of the estate of Mary F. Gordanier, deceased, will on Illinois, every five the county of the State of Illinois, entered in the Above entitled cause, at the January term, A. D. 1888, of the said county court, i. Josiah M. Clokey, administrator of the estate of Mary F. Gordanier, the county court of Mary No. 6-Ex. Sunday. No. 86-Freight ex. No. 4-Ex. Sunday

No. 701 from Champaign Mixed Train arrive *-Daily, †-Daily Except Sunday.

neetings:

Streator, Ill., account G. A. R. Encampment.
Due fare for the round trip. Tickets sold May
th, 10th, 11th and 12th; good returning to May

ing meetings:

Home seekers excursions to principal points in the south, on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Good returning every Tuesday or Friday for twenty-one days. One fare place \$2 for round trip.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL EXCURSIONS.

One way testiers rates to points south and southeast. Tickets on saie the lai and ad Thesdays of each month. Winter lourist rates to points south are new on Frail lists of June rateries.

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Indianapolis, account I. A. W. meet. One fare round trip. Sell August and 9, Good returning till August 16th and 16th.
Cincinnati, account G. A. R. Encampment. One cont per mile each way. Sell Sept. 3, 4 and 5. Good returning Sept. 8 to 13, or by deposit and payment of 28 cents limit will be extended not later than Oct. 8.
Winter tourists tickets to the principal resorts in the south mew on male.
For full information regarding dates of sale.

For full information regarding dates of sale limits of tickets, rates, maps and descriptive advertising matter, write or apply to 0. A. Pol-lock, passenger and ticket agent Wabash rati-road, Decatur, Ills.

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One way settiers' tickets sold to the South on the first and third Tuesdays of each month at greatly reduced rates.

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War News...

Though interesting is not nearly as profitable as the News printed herewith. Read it and the reading will result to your advantage.

Military Belts and Shirt Waist Sets are very popular and will be worn by all very soon.



The above cut is an exact reproduction of regulation buckles bread, cakes, ples, etc. june 23-dtf die work correct and artistically executed.

Finished in Gilt, Silver and Oxidized.

I mount these buckles to suit the customer, in Silk, Vefvet, telephone 528, new 'phono. Decasur Hard banquet, it was decided to change the Ribbon or Leather; colors to match any waist.

See the new line of United States and Cuban Flags, in Stick Pins, Hat Pins, Buttons, Watch Guards, and in fact everything per- chain pumps and pump repairing.—Mar. the early part of the evening and later in taining to the war and the army.

I am showing the nicest line of New Goods to be found in the city, and at prices that are very reasonable.

FRANK CURTIS.

Successor to =-

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,

Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China.

Our House Has Been Established Over 20 Years at 156 EAST MAIN STREET, - - DECATUR, ILL.

Gladstone's Advice.

Gladstone said: "A young man who intends to conduct the same business in the same place for twenty-five years, would better make up his mind that nothing less than perfect genuine. ness, in his character and in his goods, will serve. Shams and tricks, however slight, will prove serious obstacles to any lasting \$\frac{1}{4}\$

We try in every way to follow this teaching. We never misrepresent anything, and while we often offer exceptional values the offer is always genuine and the goods are genuinely as represented. It is our study every day how to get you the most for your money in shoe leather. Note a few of our offerings today.

Ladies' Oxfords We Sell at \$2.00.

They are in Tans with Vesting top, Tans with patent tips without vesting tops, made on the new Lenox toe and coin toe, sizes 2½ to 7, widths C, D and E.

Same Styles in Black, Same Price.

Dongola with Vesting tops, Dongola with patent tips, without vesting tops, sizes 2½ to 7; widths, C, D and E.

F. H. COLE SHOE CO.. 148 EAST MAIN STREET.

Shirt Waists.

A new lot in to-day. You should in the county to close this year owing to sermon on Spain which Rev. W. C. Miller the fact that the schools were delayed in had announced, was postponed. See them—they are New Style Material with the BAYADERE Stripes.

SEE THE PRICES:

25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$1.98 Beschie, Miss Emma Boren and Memrs. Willia Hight. Jesse Lawley. Bert Chase



Not Looking Well? Not Feeling Weil?

THEN TRY MORROW'S KIDNEOIDS.

KIDNBY TOKIC AND NERVE RESTORER

For Men, Women and Children. 50 Cents per Bottle.

ARMSTRONG BROS., Druggists.

WEATHER.

Chicago, May 16 .- Fair tonight and Tuesday. Cooler in the south tonight with fresh northerly winds.

LOCAL NEWS.

Davis' 13c delivery. Cab, 25c. Smoke the Queen, manufacturd by iteddick & Kuesink.-15-dif Denz-the Leading Tailor,-apr6.dtf

Smoke the Litle J., 5-cent cigar, made Go to Henry's bakery for all kinds of

Smoke the Little J 5 cent olgar, guaranteed to contain no artificial flavor.

De you want plastering done. If so Plaster Co. Perry & Oren. -5-dif

Go to Spencer & Lehman's for wood

Smoke the Little Joker-5 cent cigar stock of fresh bulk Garden Seed; also the greatest assortment of Flower Seeds ever brought to Decatur. Sweet for the graduates 50 cents each. Peas and Nasturtiums in bulk. Durfee feb 9-dtf

The Opean Wave school closed on last Saturday with a picuic in the grove at ident is Miss Donna Buckingham and the the school house. Miss Elizabeth Schudel was the teacher.

Open during the day and evening-Spencer and Lehman Carriage Repository, goods at honest prices.—32 down

DOUBLE DEALING

Is the Cause of Many Heart Burnings -A Decatur Case That Was the Opposite.

Double dealing like so many other expressions in our language, has differ ent meanings. Here we do not refer to the deceitful, hypocritical specimens of manhood, who carry favor for their own ends and keep a community in a ferment by retailing scraps of confidences. This time 'tis the double dealing of the Little Conqueror, Donn's Kidney Pills. To be more correct, the double healing. One member of a family tests them, and, like disease the infection spreads. Another tests themthe result is the same, a cure. Read the statement that follows:

Mr. A. J. Thompson, of 928 North Main street, carpenter, who says: "I ike the action of Doan's Kidney Pills in every particular in my case. They did all that was claimed for them. For two or more years my kidneys were irregular and caused pains across my back. I used plasters but they benefited me only for the time being and when their litect wore off the pain returned. There cured. I have had no pains in my back another concert soon. since and the kidney secretions are normal in every way. Other members of my family have also used them with much benefit. You may publish my statement and I will not hesitate to give my experience to anyone who may

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U.S. Remember the name Doan's and take no other.

Commencement at Macon.

the beginning last fall by the inteness in completing the school building. The schools will close on May 97 and the commencement exercises will be held at the M. E. church on the evening of the 28th. Several out of town speakers will be present and the exercises will be of an unusually interesting nature. The memunusually interesting nature. The members of the graduatog class are Miss Lecta the great merit of Ely's Cream Saim, Heschie, Miss Emma Boren and Messra, the most reliable cure for catarrh and Willie Bight, Jesse Lawley, Bert Chase,

The teachers for the schools for the next year are A. E. Golden principal, Miss J. Elizabeth Schudel, Miss Ella Sturgess and Miss Mary Anderson, assist-

When Weak, Weary and Wasted from Kidney Diseases, why not try Fo-ley's Kidney Cure, a guaranteed medi-cine. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. Kubbard.

ALUMNIRECEPTION

Will be Given Friday Evening, June 10.

PROBABLY AT THE ARMORY

There Will be No Banquet This Year ing his name, company and regiment. Finance Committee Will Meet This Evening to Discuss Plans.

At a meeting of the officers of the High school alumni held Saturday night the plans for the entertainment of the graduates was discussed. It was desided instead of having the usual banquet to hold an informal reception, probably at the Guards' armory. The president of the society, Dr. James L. Bevans, having left for the war, the matter was not taken up until the last few days. As a banquet is a rather large affair 'to undertake as this late date, and, as it was believed that the members of the alumni would enjoy a reception more than the formality of a program this season. The banquet and toasts will be dispensed with this year pumps, iron lift pumps, force pumps, and the idea is to hold the reception in the evening end the entertainment with a dence. The money usually expended for At 223 North Main street the largest an elaborate banquet will go toward music, decerations and light refreshments. The tickets this year for member of the alumni will be 75 cents each and

In the absence of the president, Dr. Bevans, the first vice president, Will Westerman, will serve. The second vice presthird vice prosident Charles M. Stanle The secretary and treasurer is Miss Hattle Childs. Th following are the members of the finance committee, who will have at the corner of Main and Wood streets, charge of the work of selling the tickets and Mrs. C W. Shively, who burned his traps that are beauties and a full line of from each member: Charles M. Steele crutches fine and medium grade surreys, buggies, chairman, Raiph Mills, Bessie Lutz, road wagons, etc. These are honest Josephine Kerr, Lillian Stout, Herbert Colorado Springs, where she will spend Fell, Foster Waltz, Ardie Wood, Laura the summer. Shaffer, Floy Gasaway, Nell Schroeder, Nellie Michl. Dr. Louis Coonradt, Will Armstrong, Mande Dill, Thomas Jack, Model Laundry. Harry Haines and Shery Khrman. The members of the committee will hold a discuss further details of the entertainment. Other committees will be appointed to take charge of the arrangements.

There are only 55 members of the grad uating class this year, but it is believed attended There are over 500 members in the city and the reception ought to be a large affair.

1. O. G. T.

Faithful lodge, I. O. G. T., gave a special at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C Smith of North Water street on Saturday evening. About 80 members were present. Ice oream and cake were served at the expanse of the gentlemen of the ladge. The members of Faithful lodge I, O. G T. will serve dinner next Saturday in the room adjoining Peddecord & Burrows

The I. O. G. T. county lodge will meet in Decatur on Thursday, June 9.

At the Turner Park.

was also too frequent action of the kid- with the patriotic concert given by Good- extra for adults and for children under 15 "The Future of the Probibition Party ney secretions which contained a heavy mans band at the Turner park but in accompanied by their parents 10 cents Rev. Stewart is chairman of the state sediment. I learned of Donn's Kidner spite of the bad weather there was a fair extra. Rev. Vosburg is well known here prohibition committee and is an obser-Pills in the spring of 1897, got them at attendance. The hand went out at 4 as a former pastor of the Baptist church taining speaker. The Meneley Trio, a drug store; took them as directed, and o'clock and music was rondered during and his lecture will be both instructive composed of Miss Jennie Mencley, sogradually the pain began to leave and the afternoon and evening. Supper was and entertaining to old and young alike prane, Miss Elma B. Smith, alto and the other symptoms to disappear. . I served and those in attendance enjoyed The lecture is given for the benefit of the impersonator and C. W. Monelcy, baricontinued the treatment until I was themselves. The band will probably give church. Tickets are on sale at Santon's tone, will be present at each of the ses-

Sunday at Danville.

Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Burnstead spent Sunday with relatives at Danville. Dr. Bumstead visited the buildings in course of erection at the National Soldiers Home at that place. Three of the larger buildings are nearing completion and are dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by to be devoted to the hospital. Sixty or sevensy buildings in all will be built before the home is finished and eqdipped.

Sermon Postponed.

Owing to the rain last evening, which The schools of Macon are among the last kept so many from church services the

May Come to Itlinois.

Rev. Freeze of Myrtle Springs, Ark., is consider a call which has been extended Bethlehem and Shady Grove.

It is the medicine above all others for at is the medicine slove all others for catarrh, and is worth its weight in gold. I can use Ely's Cream Balm with safety and it does all that is claimed for it.—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

2,000 First Class Books on cale at 10 CENTS EACH. L. CHODAT'S NEWS HOUSE.

SILVER MEDAL MARKS.

Frank Curtis Receives Orders to be Sent to the Guards.

During the war of 1861-5 many a brave volunteer fell in battle and was placed in his grave as an unknown simply because those who performed the last sad rite were unable to find anything on the person of the soldier to identify him. It is the purpose of the United States army department to have every man in the service wear a silver medal marker badge, bear-Frank Curtis, the Decatur jeweler and

manufacturer, is the pioneer in the west in the line of making the silver markers. The marker is of solld silver about the size of a quarter, and is attached to a silver chain of proper length, which will be wern about the neck next the skin. Two orders were left with Mr. Curtle this morning for Bruce Chenoweth and Will Housum, who are now at Chickamauga with the 5th regiment. The markers will be forwarded at once to the young men. No doubt many other orders for the silver markers will be left with Mr. Curtis. He says be is prepared to fill all orders speedily at reasonable figures.

All parents of young men in the Deca tur company will no doubt be quick to follow the suggestion of the army officials and see that their cons are provided with the identification badges.

PERSONAL

-Mrs. R. Hayes, of Forsyth, visited n Decatur Saturday.

-C. E. Eastwood, formerly of Bell's drug store, has joined a company of cavalry at Camp Tenner.

-Miss Lillian Peck of Bement is yisitng in Decatur. -William Zier and Prof. Lawrentz of

Bloomington are guests of Decatur -Mrs. G. R. Bacon will attend the

meeting of the National Federation of Woman's clubs at Denver in June. -Harold Shively, the small son of Mr.

They have some open and canopy top and collecting the annual dues of 25 cents foot so severely last week is out today on -Miss Laura Dillehunt left today for

> -Wm. Roeder, of St. Louis, has accepted a position as bookkeeper at the

-Mrs. Connan who has been in the city visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs K. meeting this evening at the home of Miss Harwood, left Saturday for her home in Bessie Lutz, No. 815 West North street, to Boston. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Mac Harwood, who will visit

-W. I. Wikoff and wife of New Or leans, are in the city visiting Mr. and that the alumni reception will be well Mrs. J. G Keller. Mr. Wikoff is Mrs Keller's brother,

in Boston during the summer.

The meeting of the Ladies of the Congregational church, which was to have been held at the home of Mrs. F. O. Damrow on Tuesday afternoon, has been postpened until Friday afternoon.

REV. VOSBURG WILL LECTURE

Evening, May 24.

At the Baptist Church on Tuesday Leave to Thomas Lunn to answer and

Rev. George B. Vosburg, Ph. D. D. will deliver a lecture entitled, "A Jour ney Through the Holy Land on Horseback," Tuesday evening, May 24, at the First Baptist church. The general ad- three sessions, morning, afternoon and mission is 25 cents adults, children under The rain Sunday Interfered somewhat | 15 years 15 cents. Reserved seats 25 cents | O. W. Stewart will deliver an address on book store. Plat of seats open three sions and render a program. An admisdays in advance Members of the Ladies' Aid society of the church will also have tickets for sale .- 14-dar

Events on Decatur Circuit,

memorial serivces will be held by Rov. | ance people and especially the probibi-Danely at 10:80 a. m. The mission band | tionists and the general public are invited will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival on the evening of June 1st

At Mt. Zion church childrens' day ser vices will be held on Jane 13. The mem bers are arranging for a strawberry festi-At the Elwin church there will be

preaching by the pastor next Sunday and | gbod returning until May 23.—14-9t children's day will be celebrated the sec ond Sunday in June. At Blue Mound chapel there will be

in Decator visiting with friends and to preaching by the paster at 3 o'clock next Sunday and the children's service will be him to take charge of the churches at held the same as at the ohter churches on

> Gordinier--Pettyjohn. J. W. Gordinier and Miss Lizzie Petty-

the most remade cure for catarin and cold in the head, a generous 10 cent trial size can be had of your druggist or we mail it for 10 cents. Full size 50 cents. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City.

Sunday afternoon. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Petty. john of East Wood street and has been for years one of the most successful teachers in the public schools of Macon county. Mr. Gordinier is employed as a mechanic at the Wabash shops. The couple will reside on East Wood street near the residence of the parents of the bride.

JURY CASES

Will be Taken Up in Circuit Court.

REPORTED TO-DAY

And Will Serve for Two Weeks -- Motions Entered on Court Dockets This Forenoon--Adjourned Till Afternoon.

The circuit court convened this morning at 9 o'clock and after hearing motions in a number of cases Judge Vail adjourned court till 1:30 o'clock this afternoon at which time the new jurges reported for duty. The cases which require a jory will now be taken up. The following are the names of the mon who reported today and from among whom the juries for the next two weeks will be selected:

Danston-W. T Grout, George M Ly. tle, William Lytle, R W. Chilson, Ed Kellington, P. S. Leonard, George White, Thomas Waxenberger, D E Baldwin, A. J. Horine, Thomas Hamilton, W. F.

Dennie, D A Strader Maroa-Charles O'Banion, C. M. Warner, C L Jones.

Austin-Lewis Rogers Hickory Point -S. J. Hanks. Blue Mound-Mike Staah

Harristown-H. B. McGregor Cyrus assert. Illini-F. H. Mconey, H. E. Roberts,

T Shineman. Friends Creek-Harry Kerr, Henry

Haub, C. E. Painter. Niantic-John Mooney, Frank Kretzer, Torace Pritchett.

Long Creek-John McDonald. Pleasant View-F. Sanders

Milam-William Shaddock, F. Rouch. South Macca-John Cowger, Otho

The entries on the court dockets today vere as follows:

CHANCERY CASES

Charles J. Freeman vs Edward W. White et al; foreclosure. Decree pro confesso and referred for computation. James P Bean vs Mary Bean; divorce.

Decres pro confesso. Lucy M Smith ve James W Smith;

divorce. Decree pro confesso. Richard J. Ellis vs Mary E. Ellis et al; partition. Proof of publication made. Stella H. Alexander vs. Arthur B Mexander, divorce. Decree pro confesso. Hiram Johnson et al ve William Henry Tincher et al, foreclosure Dacres pro confesso and reterred for proof and condeion.

George Nebinger vs. Alfred F Drew et al, foreolosuro Dismissed by complain ant without prejudice at his costs

Harriet B Moore vs Silas F. Moore. livorce. Decree pre confesso. Pearl Dodwell vs. Gliver Dodwell;

divorce. Decree pre confusso People's Saving and Loan Association vs. Thomas Lunn et al, foreclosure

Prohibition Convention.

The Macon county prohibition conven tion will be held at the W. C. 1. U. ball in this city on Thursday of this week be ginning at 10:30 a.m. There will be evening. At the attension fee of 10 cents will be charged at the evening session. The work of the convention is to elect delegates to the state convention which meets at Peoris in June, to reorganize the county committee At Long Creek church Sunday, May 29, and other important work. All temperto attend this meeting.

> Excursion to Champaign. The Illinois Central road on account of the inter-scholastic contest at Champaign will offer a rate of one fare for the round trip from May 17 to 20 inclusive, tickets





TWENTY-SIXTH YEAR.

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Now Go After Caba Harbor and G

NEW YORK, May 17 .-- An un Havana, printed here, is to the effective sel, engaged in removing torpedoes and the entire crew perished. Noth of any such disaster.

CONFUSIO

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MADRID, May 17.—A despatch small naval boat was blown up off loss of seventeen lives. Nationality

MADRID, May 17.—(Second dis small naval boat, having a crew of s up off Cardenas while engaged in the harbor. The torpedo exploded those engaged in the work and all o dispatch does not indicate whether t or a Spanish craft.

WAITING TO CRUSH

NEW YORK, May 17.—The W from Santa Lucia, West Indies say sighted last night lying off the west seen to the northward. They are be squadron watching for the battleshi

EARLY DEATH OF GLADS

HAWARDEN, May 17.—5 p. m issued says: Gladstone has taken a Death may be expected in twenty-fo said: "The end is near." "Mr. Glac nourishment. He breathes heavil his breathing is hardly perceptil other members of the family do not a few minutes at a time."

SPANISH SCOUT

Hide and Seek Game Near Windward

CAPE HAYTIEN, HAYTI, May 17 -(Cop -Two Spanish ernisers or gunbeats are making quiri or Guantanamo Bay. They are I nown to ters between Hayti and Cuba. The Speniards Porte during the day and go out cruising at nig